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NEWTON.

—Ivers & Pond Pianos, Farley, Newton
—Mr. Thomas Dalby has gone to California for a vacation of a few weeks.

—Valentines for parties, the German, in all the latest novelties, at the Newton Bazar.

—Miss B. F. Upton left this week for Kitterell, N. C., to be absent about three months.

—The meeting of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union will be postponed to Monday, Feb. 15.

—Mr. Otto J. Plesher has sold his house, corner of Orchard and St. James streets, to Mr. Henry Tolman.

—As Tuesday was Candlemas Day and the sun did not shine, according to old proverbs the rest of the winter promises to be mild.

—Mr. George W. Lamson has been ill and confined to his room for nearly two weeks. His friends have missed him and hope soon to see him out again.

—The ladies of Wards One and Seven working for the G. A. R. Carnival, will meet Tuesday morning, Feb. 9, at nine o'clock, at the Baptist church.

—Rev. Frederick Gill was ordained pastor of the Unitarian church at Arlington, Thursday evening, and Rev. Mr. Hornbrooke offered the ordaining prayer.

—Rev. Mr. Hornbrooke preaches at Channing church Sunday morning at Newton Highlands in the afternoon, and at the Boston Christian Union in the evening.

—The Social Science Club will meet at Mrs. Kellar's, Park street, Saturday, Feb. 13, at 10 a. m. Subject, "Shelter Work of the Salvation Army in London." Invite a guest.

—Loie Fuller, Sylvia Gerlich, Jefferson de Angello and many Casino favorites, comes to Park Theatre, Waltham, Saturday evening, Feb. 6, with Rudolph Aronson's New York Casino Co.

—Mr. Page, president of the Dedham Guild, will address the Channing Guild of Newton at the Channing church parlors, next Sunday evening, Feb. 7, at 6:45 p. m. All are cordially invited.

—The Channing Literary Class met Wednesday night and heard Rev. Mr. Hornbrooke discuss the Lawyers in "The Ring and the Book." The last lesson of the series will be next Wednesday evening.

—The Rev. Dr. Hutchins, the editor of "The Parish Choir," and various other musical publications, preached the sermon in Grace church on Sunday morning. His topic was "The submission of the will—an act of Religion."

—The local ice companies began cutting ice this week, and found it nearly a foot in thickness and of good quality. It is hoped that the companies would have to avail themselves of every cold snap, to get their usual supply.

—Notice was given in Grace church last Sunday that a class would be formed on the evening of Feb. 5th for the purpose of persons who wanted to know something about confirmation. The class is to meet each Friday evening until the visit of Bishop Brooks in April.

—Donations for the Pomroy Home during the month of January were as follows: Newton, milk, clothing, boots, rags, meat, bread, pastry, 12 pairs of pillow slips; West Newton, clothing; Newton Centre, milk, apples, vegetables; Waltham, clothing; Worcester, clothing.

—The evening program for the ladies' sewing society's meeting at Channing church, Thursday evening, included some beautiful solos by Miss Hardon, whose singing is such a rare treat; songs by members of the Sunday school; and solos by Mrs. Wetherbee and Mrs. Barrows.

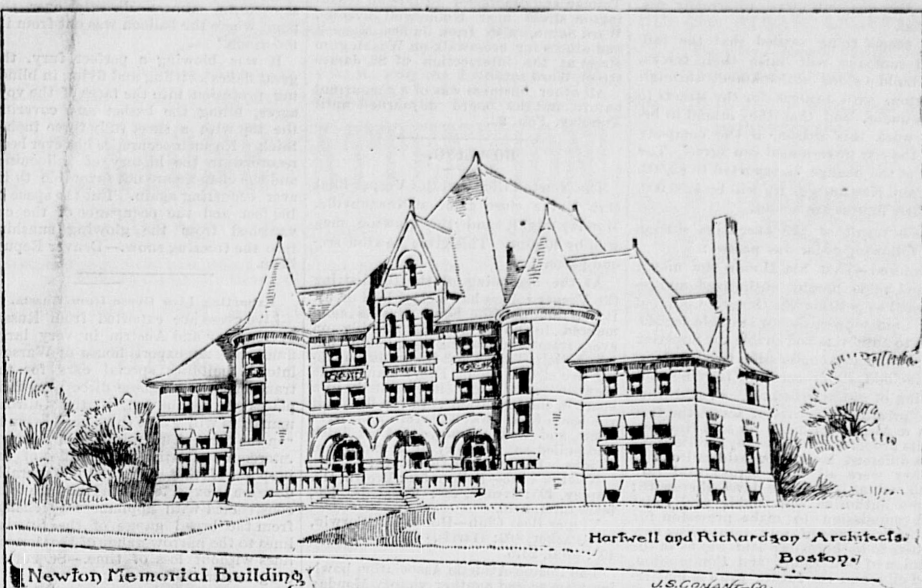
—The musical and dramatic entertainment at the basement of the Church of Our Lady, last Thursday evening, was a very successful affair, a large crowd being present, and the quartet and piano solos gave much pleasure to the audience. The pastor's picture was voted to Mr. S. J. Maskell.

—The large audience at the Channing vespers last Sunday evening greatly enjoyed the beautiful music so well rendered by Miss Hardon, the soprano and Miss Fogwell, alto, are entitled to much praise for solos finely rendered. Miss Marie Nichols, violinist, a pupil of Mollenhauer of Boston, rendered two beautiful selections. Her tone production was very fine and harmonized well with the beautiful organ and voices. The fine taste and expression given to the quartet work, reflects great credit on the skillful labor given to it by the organist and musical director, Mr. R. H. Clouston.

—By the death of Samuel Deering, Brighton loses another of her old residents. He passed away at his home in Newton street last Sunday. Funeral services were held at his late residence Tuesday afternoon. Rev. Albert Walker officiating. There were several beautiful floral tributes contributed by friends. The deceased was in Evergreen Cemetery. He was born in Scarborough, Me., Sept. 14th, 1814. He moved to Brighton in 1850 and engaged in the wheelwright business in Newton street. He was one of the oldest Odd Fellows in the state, and a member of Lafayette Lodge, I. O. O. F. of Watertown. He leaves one son, and was step-father to Mrs. George W. Lamson of Newton.

—At the Eliot church, Wednesday evening, a most enjoyable concert was given by Mr. Wallace Goodrich, assisted by Mr. Willis Nowell. Where all the performance was so good it is hard to speak of any particular part without exaggeration. The Mendelssohn sonata was given a perfect rendering by Mr. Goodrich, showing the fine tone of the organ and his mastery of its technical difficulties in a most artistic manner. In the Bach and Mendelssohn, the Tocata by Widor he again showed a skill which gives him a high rank among concert organists. The difficulties of the last being overcome with an ease which, considering it was at the end of the program, showed him a thorough musician. Mr. Nowell has long been known to our citizens, as a violinist ranking second to none, and in this concert his playing was perhaps the best he has given in Newton. In both his solos his artistic playing, so free from all striving after mere show, was thoroughly enjoyed by the audience, which was both large and appreciative. The tone of his noble instrument was never heard to better advantage, completely filling the church, and standing out clear and full against the organ, on which the accompaniments were played with a masterly manner to bring out well the orchestral coloring of the score. It is much to be hoped that another opportunity may be afforded our citizens to enjoy a similar feast. It was a rare lesson in music to many, and the Eliot church committee is deserving of many thanks in opening their church for the purpose.

Temperance Meeting.
Next Sunday, Feb. 7, at 3:30 p. m. there will be a grand temperance meeting in City Hall. Mr. Wm. Leonard of Salem will deliver the address, previous to which from 3:30 to 4 o'clock Loyalty Lodge quartet, consisting of Misses Pluta and Fogwell, Messrs. Boardley and Rand, and a male quartet, consisting of Messrs. Rice, Woodberry, Newell and Rand will give a concert. Free to all.



PROPOSED SOLDIERS' MEMORIAL HALL.

To The People of Newton.

We now present a perspective sketch of the proposed Memorial Hall as prepared by Messrs. Hartwell & Richardson, architects. It will be seen that we have set our standard high, believing that the people of Newton will co-operate with, and sustain us in an effort to erect a Memorial building which shall be in every way a credit to the city, and at the same time, of practical public value.

The plan is not published, but on the ground floor is a relic room and library, a hall 60x45 with ample ante-rooms, suitable for the regular meetings of the post and other organizations. In the basement will be the kitchen and dining room. On the second floor is the large hall with mezzanine floor under the stage, and all modern appliances capable of seating one thousand people.

In its memorial capacity the building will perpetuate, first of all, the names of those loyal sons of Newton, whose lives were sacrificed that we might be preserved a nation. These names will occupy the special place of honor upon the memorial tablets. Then will come the names of all the other men of Newton, who responded so bravely to the call of their country in the hour of her distress and danger, and lastly there will be preserved in some substantial form the roll of Charles Ward Post. But this is only a part. In no sense is this building to be, solely, a memorial of those who actually bore arms. The "spirit of '61" is to be immortalized here. Those who went to the front would have fought in vain, had it not been for those loyal men and women who so bravely bore the burdens of the war at home. In this building should hang the portraits of those patriots of Newton, who, during the war so generously gave of their time, money and effort in ministering to the wants of the soldiers, and in encouraging and sustaining the Government at Washington.

There should hang the portrait of Rebecca R. Pomroy, the faithful army nurse, and of other women and men too, who "left all" to follow the army, and care for the wounded and the sick. This building will tell the story of those loyal women of Newton, who so bravely buckled on for them the swords of husband, of brother, or of son, smiling through their tears and bidding them a cheerful good bye, and then, taking up the round of daily duty, with hearts weighed down with fear and forebodings, eagerly seeking news from the army, and yet scarcely daring to listen, every ring at the door making their hearts beat quick with apprehension of disaster, every face scanned with a pitiful eagerness.

No monuments are raised to their patriotism and valor, and yet what tongue can tell, or what mind can measure the price in sorrow and suffering, which was paid by these loyal women for the preservation of the union. And while their names cannot, perhaps, be engraved upon the tablets, this building will ever speak of them and will insulate the coming generations to equal patriotism.

We venerate the "spirit of '76" but in the coming ages, the "spirit of '61" will receive the greater honor. For it was more unselfish and as the years go by, and there develops, as there surely will, a broader and truer conception of the universal brotherhood of man, then upon the pages of history will shine, ever clearer and brighter the moral grandeur which clothed the federal cause.

To coming generations this building will speak of a patriotism which was heroic and a heroism which was patriotic.

Here will be preserved also one of the finest collections of war relics in the country, just purchased by the post in Fredericksburg, Va., and consisting of over 600 articles, illustrating almost every phase of actual warfare.

Among these relics are such as the following: Combination dagger and pistol given to Mrs. Hicks, Fredericksburg, Va., by a wounded federal soldier whom she cared for after the battle of Fredericksburg. Bowie knife carried by the Louisiana Tigers, and with which they fought at the Stone Bridge over Bull Run at the first battle of Manassas. One hundred and thirteen pieces from the battlefield of Gettysburg. Hat made during the war at Gordonsburg, Va., sold for \$100 to Capt. R. L. Cooper of a confederate battery. There are three bullet holes through this hat made while Capt. Cooper was attempting to load his gun after three gunners had been killed. He was severely wounded by those bullets, but not killed. To this will be added many articles now in

the possession of the soldiers of Newton or their families. This collection will increase in value and interest as the years go by, and the fact that there is now so suitable a place to keep it, is an argument for the erection of this building.

Besides these relics it is proposed to collect the history of Newton during the war period. Several of our citizens who were here and active at that time have been requested to write something of the history of those days, and it is expected to obtain and preserve in this building, some exceedingly interesting and valuable data, which otherwise would be forgotten.

Many, as yet, unwritten stories of the war will be preserved here in manuscript form, as they can be prepared from time to time by those who took active part in the great struggle, and at the public camp fires, which will doubtless be held here, will be told such stories as cannot be found in the published histories of the day.

Not many years longer can these stories be heard. More rapidly every year are the old soldiers passing away. The time is not far distant when only occasionally in this building will come some white haired, feeble, old man, who, sitting down among the war relics will dream of the days when the air was full of the sound of drums, and the tramp of soldiers, and the gleam of bayonets and waving flags. Or to the listening groups about him shall tell the story, how, when scarcely more than a boy he fought with Grant at Fort Donaldson, at Vicksburg or before Richmond. How he rode with Sheridan up and down the Shenandoah valley, or, upon the lower Mississippi, and in the most terrific naval battle the world ever saw, when Admiral Farragut ran the gauntlet of the Rebel forts amid the continual roar of twelve hundred guns.

The tongues which can tell these stories will soon be silent, but the building will stand, and with a silent eloquence, mightier than tongue or pen, will tell the story of the "spirit of '61." It will be understood that the post is not working for itself alone in this enterprise. It is a work of patriotism, a building for the benefit and for the use of all. A large hall, capable of seating one thousand persons, is sadly needed in this city, and the securing of such a hall is in itself an object well worthy of public support.

The coming Carnival is the first move in the effort to secure this building, and judging by the increasing interest shown by the public it will be a great success. With the money realized from the fair nucleus, it is hoped to consummate the scheme.

The exact plan of incorporation cannot now be decided as the post prefer to leave that matter for later consideration. It is believed that a good income can be derived from the rental of the large hall, and also of the smaller one for other organizations, and possibly the city can make some use of it for which a rental could be paid.

The question of location also cannot be decided just now. The lots of land which have been offered at Newtonville and Auburndale, are not considered quite central enough to insure the most profitable use of the hall. A meeting of the associate members of the post has been called for the purpose of choosing a building committee to act with a similar committee of the post, in the erection of the building.

Thus it will be seen that this scheme takes the character of a public enterprise, worthy the best effort of all our people, and we do not hesitate to ask of all their hearty co-operation and assistance.

Geo. M. FISKE, H. W. DOWNS,
Geo. W. MORSE, S. E. HOWARD,
H. D. DEGEN,
Committee on plans, etc.

As to the G. A. R. Carnival.
The committees in all the wards are now well organized, and the full list is as follows:

WARDS ONE AND SEVEN.
President, Mrs. A. S. March.
Vice-Presidents, Mrs. W. H. Stearns, Mrs. E. H. Sprague, Mrs. M. F. Jones, Mrs. J. H. Robinson, Mrs. John Flood, Mrs. H. F. Wellington, Mrs. J. B. Goodrich, Mrs. Sam'l Leonard, Mrs. Perry, Mrs. Wm. Alexander, Mrs. A. R. Bailey, Mrs. J. F. Frisbie, Mrs. J. E. Hollis, Mrs. H. W. Downs, Mrs. J. W. Brigham, Sec.
Aids, Mrs. E. W. Converse, Mrs. Horace Edmunds, Mrs. William Emery, Mrs. Sidney Harwood, Miss Alice Buswell, Mrs. Edward Jones, Mrs. Annie Gilman, Mrs. W. H. Emerson, Mrs. Doane, Miss Minnie Brackett, Ella Bailey, Mrs. French, Henry Crowell, Miss Leonard, Rose Hyde, Mrs. E. H. Sprague, Della Hyde, Bessie Angier, Mrs. H. S. Crowell, Geo. Mandell, Geo. Hastings.
Vice-Presidents, Mrs. Andrew Cobb, Mrs. William Brackett, Miss Alice Bassett, Mrs. F. L. Gross, Miss Mabel Potter, Mrs. C. Kupper, Mrs. Agry, Miss Marion Mandell, Jennie Whitton, The Misses Atkins, Mrs. Tillinghast, Hugh Campbell, Peterson, M. T. Vincent, Molly Pond, Abbie Spear, Mrs. B. K. Garwood, Johnson, J. Eggleston.

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WARD THREE.
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Aids. Mrs. Geo. D. Harvey, Mrs. C. C. Shepard, Mrs. F. M. Mitchell, Mrs. Geo. E. Johnson, Miss Julia Peckard, Mrs. C. H. Morse, Miss Lila Ryder, Mrs. C. S. Ober, Mrs. Geo. E. Mann, Mrs. R. E. Ashenden, Mrs. H. A. Thordike, Mrs. Sumner Shattuck, Mrs. Walter Mayo, Mrs. L. L. Leonard, Mrs. C. B. Hoarne, Mrs. F. J. Leslie, Mrs. A. L. Hunter, Mrs. J. H. Doolittle, Mrs. U. Moore, Mrs. W. H. Swanton, Mrs. F. W. Freeman, Mrs. Geo. H. Bourne, Mrs. A. J. Wiggins, Mrs. Julia Sanderson.

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President, Mrs. M. A. Moulton.
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WARD SIX.
President, Mrs. R. B. Bishop.
Vice-Presidents, Mrs. Chas. S. Groat, Mrs. A. C. Ellis, Sec. Mrs. D. B. Claflin, Treas.
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SONS AND DAUGHTERS OF VETERANS.
President, Mrs. Ida J. Allen, N'ble Vice-Presidents, Mrs. Horace Crocker, Miss Lizzie Curry, N'ble Miss Nellie Fenn, N'ble Miss Bertha Kausdell, Miss Marietta Ramsdell, Mrs. C. E. Kimball, Treas.
It is hoped that the people of Newton will co-operate with and assist the above named committees in their effort for this worthy cause. If any have not been already solicited please consider this an invitation and report to any of the above named ladies, with such contributions as can be given.

Mr. Wm. J. Follett is chief marshal with aids to be announced later. The executive committee of the Post, Chas. W. Sweetland, chairman, A. T. Sylvester, S. E. Stiles, E. E. Morse, Headquarters have been opened at Room 4, Eliot block. The committee are in session every evening.

Wonders in Paper.
The exhibition of novelties in paper to be opened on Monday the 8th at the store of the Dennison Manufacturing Company, 26 Franklin street, Boston will prove an important occasion to the ladies of Newton and vicinity who are interested in the development of art and design in tissue paper.

The Misses Heath of Buffalo, N. Y., under whose superintendence the exhibition is to be given, are experts in the creation of the thousand and one dainty things now made from tissue and other papers. There are flowers that rival nature, lamp shades of every hue and in unique and beautiful designs; paper frames, table favors, candle and candelabra shades, princess lamps with dainty shades in paper, and paper dolls with costumes so various in design and color as to fairly bewilder the little folk.

The exhibition to be continued the entire week is one of the most novel and entertaining given in a long time, and is one that all will wish to see.

Beautiful Palms.
Decorate your home with palms, Rubber Plants, Dracaenas, Ferns, Cyclamens, Primroses, &c. All sizes and prices at Mausfield's, Crafts St., Newtonville, P.O. box 111. All plants delivered free. If

Reading Room.

THE CITY GOVERNMENT.

THE GRADE CROSSING QUESTION DISCUSSED IN EXECUTIVE SESSION.

Both branches of the City government met, Monday night. In the board of aldermen all the members were present except Alderman Hyde. The minutes were read and approved, and the board then went into executive session, and Mayor Hibbard told the board the results of his conferences with President Bliss, and the question was informally discussed.

It seems to be settled that the railroad company will raise their tracks, and build a stone embankment through Newton, with bridges for the streets to pass under, and that they intend to begin work this season, if the company and the city government can agree. The cost of the change is reported to be \$2,500,000, and Newton's share will be \$250,000, if their figures are sound.

As a result of the executive session the following order was passed:

Ordered—That his Honor the mayor be and he is hereby authorized and requested to petition the General Court of the Commonwealth for suitable legislation to authorize and enable the Superior Court and any commission by said Court to include in proceedings for the abolishing of grade crossings, in said Newton, private ways over or across the Boston & Albany railroad in said Newton, or its property, and also any public ways at a different level from said railroad as if they were all ways across said railroad and at the same level therewith, also to authorize and enable said court and commission to make provision for future crossings of said railroad by new streets to be hereafter laid out in the opinion of said Court and Commission, said city and its future growth may require.

STREET LAYOUT.

The Newton and Boston street Railway Co. filed their acceptance of the location granted them, and petitioned for license to extend their road from Homer street through Walnut to Newton Highlands. Also from Sumner, through Beacon to Cypress street at Newton Centre, and from the corner of Homer and Walnut streets, on Homer street, westerly some 300 feet to the car house to be built at that place.

A public hearing was ordered on their petition for Monday evening, March 7th, at 8 o'clock, the same to be advertised in the Newton papers.

MORE ELECTION PRECINCTS.

Orders were passed for the division of Wards One, Three and Six into two election precincts.

Ward One will be divided from Pearl street, at the Ward Seven line, through Pearl to Jewett, through Jewett to the B. & A. railroad, and the line of that road westerly to Ward Two. Precinct One will be north of Pearl street and the B. & A., and Precinct Two south of those lines. On the north side are 238 voters and on the south 280 voters.

Ward Three will be divided by Water-town and Washington streets and the B. & A. north of the line to be Precinct One and south to be Precinct Two. On the north are 302 voters and on the south 325.

Ward Six will be divided by Beacon street, north of the line to be Precinct One and south to be Precinct Two. On the north are 302 voters and on the south 325.

The appointment of Moses Clark, Jr., to be deputy collector of taxes was confirmed.

F. C. Perry petitioned for the abatement of the tax levied on the lot at the corner of his land on Court street, as he had previously expended by reason of this ditch \$500 for filling in, fencing and grading, and the work had only been completed the past year. Referred to committee on claims.

A. T. Wiswell and some twenty others petitioned to have the Chelsea brook put in such condition as to protect their lands from being overflowed and damaged, as stated by them at the hearing in October, 1891. Referred to highway committee.

Alderman Wilson presented the petition of the N. E. Telephone Co. for license to erect poles on Winthrop, Putnam, Temple and Prince streets.

Alderman Sheppard moved that the petition of the same company to erect poles on Bridge, California, Chapel and Peabody streets be taken from the table and a public hearing be granted on March 7th, at 8.15 p. m.

NEEDHAM LAND.

Alderman Harbach presented several orders in regard to Needham land, taken two years ago for the water supply, and stated that when it came to settling with the owners, the boundaries were very irregular and a better settlement could be made by giving up some land and taking others in exchange, and by this means the city would give up ten acres more than it took, and would thus gain by the change and also satisfy the owners. The orders were of great length and as interesting as the working of the mortgages' sales, which sometimes appear in the GRAPHIC. They were all passed unanimously.

A communication from Philip Smith in regard to the taking of land by the city was received and filed.

Henry Tolman and others asked to have the gutters paved on Washington street, Hunnewell hill.

G. H. Mandell and others asked to have a crosswalk laid across Washington street.

One grand juror and two traverse jurors were then drawn and the unlucky men were Edwin M. Thayer of Walnut street, Newtonville; and John E. Colburn of Woodward street, and Walter O. Chamberlain of Court street, Newtonville.

Patrick McLaughlin gave notice of intention to build house 26x37 feet on Hale street, Ward 5, and H. M. Beal house 20x28 on Chandler place, Ward 5.

E. E. Burnham of 206 Centre street petitioned for an abatement of license.

Common Council.

The lower branch was called to order at 8 o'clock by President Boffe, and the roll call found Councilman Lunt absent.

Several papers were received from the board of aldermen and passed in concurrence.

The order introduced last week by Councilman Bothfield of ward seven, instructing the legislature committee to confer with neighboring cities to secure a broader and more equitable method of

sewerage assessments came from the other chamber with the word "requested" substituted for "instructed."

Councilman Bothfield said he should move to concur with the aldermen, in preparing the order under discussion he felt like testing the sense of the other chamber as to the power of the legislative committee. He thought but little of a committee appointed by the city council, which that body could not "instruct." The council then concurred with the aldermen.

A petition was received from Henry Tolman and others for gutters on Washington street near Hunnewell avenue, Ward Seven, also from James Mandell and others for crosswalk on Washington street at the intersection of St. James street, Ward seven.

All other business was of a concurrent nature, and the board adjourned until Tuesday, Feb. 23.

BOWLING.

The Newton Club and the Vesper Boat club had a close game at Newtonville, Monday night, and the Newton men won by 40 pins. This gives Newton second place.

At the beginning of the third string the Vesper rollers had a clear lead of 37. It was then that the home players commenced to bowl, gaining steadily on every frame and making a splendid finish, Follett, Tapley and Richards bunched two strikes each. Every man on the Newton team made either a strike or a spare in the 10th frame. In the first half the lead of the Lowell players was come, and the home players at the finish had pulled out a victory by a margin of 40 pins. Following is the score:—

Newton Club—Follett, 519; Brown, 417; Tapley, 495; Savage, 480; Richards, 496; team total, 2416.

Vesper Boat Club—Hood, 452; Corwin, 493; Parker, 462; Harris, 474; Goulding, 495; team total, 2376.

The Boston Athletic Association bowling team scored another victory Monday evening, beating the team of the Newton Boat Club by 2435 pins to 2005.

Lodge's total of 543 was the most brilliant achievement of the evening. The scores:

Athletic Association—Kneel, 464; Lamb, 476; Lawton, 454; Lodge, 543; Wood, 498; totals, 2435.

Newton Boat Club—Loring, 409, Dole, 351; Bantia, 409; Kinsley, 417; Laurie, 419; totals, 2005.

The Chelsea Reviews defeated the Melrose club by 181 pins, Monday night.

NEWTON BOAT CLUB BOWLERS.

Teams 1 and 4 played a match in the Newton Boat Club bowling tournament at Riverside, Tuesday evening, the latter winning by 14 pins. Dewey got a difficult spare, taking pins 7 and 9 on a second ball. Kinsley made the best 2-string total.

Team Four—Kinsley, 271; Richards, 294; Burrage, 252; Knapp, 245; Hall, 233; totals, 1205.

Team One—Dole, 260; Spurr, 240; Peabody, 228; Dewey, 236; Vose, 227; totals, 1191.

NEWTON CLUB.

An interesting match in the Newton club tourney was played Tuesday evening at Newtonville between teams three and ten. The latter won by 182 pins.

Team Ten—Russell, 453; Brown, 463; Byers, 476; Anders, 438; Haskell, 374; totals, 2204.

Team Three—Fuller, 455; Powers, 447; Bartlett, 396; Allen, 424; Wendell, 300; totals, 2022.

BOOKS AND MAGAZINES.

Amelie Rives in a new play, "Athelwald," a tragedy in five acts, heads the February menu of Harper's bill of fare for the library table. There are also stories by Assens E. Wilkins, William Lennon and Robert C. V. Meyers, "From the Black Forest to the Black Sea," "A Skin for a Skin," "The Royal Danish Theatre" and "Old Shipping Merchants of New York" are the principal articles of the number.

A few days ago, quite privately and unobserved, Rudyard Kipling married the sister of his former collaborator, the late Wolcott Balestier, whose short story of Western railroad life entitled "Refray" appears in the February Century. Edward Atkinson has also a careful paper on "The Australian Registry of Land Titles," and the second of his series on "The Jews in New York" presents an illustrated view of their social customs, institutions, clubs and churches.

The last poem of James Russell Lowell will be published in the March number of Scribner's Magazine. The contents of the February number include a story by Octave Thanet, "Greenland Explorations," by Benjamin Sharp; "A Model Working Girl's Club," by Dr. Albert Shaw, describing the Polytechnic Young Women's Institute of London, etc. "The Game of Curling," by R. C. Whitte of the Boston Curling Club, will have especial interest for Boston readers, and for lovers of the sport everywhere. It is a most timely midwinter exposition of the game, brief and practical in description of the game, brief and nicely illustrated.

Progressive thought, impartial liberality to new ideas and to old ones makes the issue of the Arena, and this of February presents a fine array of essay and fiction, though chiefly essay. The frontispiece is a portrait of Herbert Spencer, and William H. Hudson gives a careful sketch of the man and his work. Mr. Cameron writes on "Inspiration and Heresy" with the radical pen of the iconoclast, and the Rev. E. B. Howard gives the Orthodox Presbyterian idea of the atonement. Three noteworthy political articles form a basis for the long and varied table of contents.

A most unique magazine is the February Ladies' Home Journal, entirely made up, as it is, in prose, verse and fiction by daughters of famous parentage, some of the "daughters" being famed themselves. Thirty "daughters" are represented, each by an article, story or poem, and a more curious and successful innovation in magazine literature has not been made for years. The issue is in every respect a surprise, and is a powerful argument in behalf of hereditary genius. Hawthorne's daughter, Mrs. Lathrop, for example, has an excellent story; Mildred Howells, the novelist's daughter, writes a poem; the daughters of Charles Dickens, Thackeray and Horace Greeley all write of their famous fathers; President Harrison's daughter, Mrs. McKee, surprises by writing a very strong article on "The Training of Children"; Gladstone's daughter tells "How a Woman's College Began" of which she is Vice-Principal; General Sherman's daughter tells a clever war story; Julia Ward Howe presents three literary daughters, and many more are represented.

Common Council.

The lower branch was called to order at 8 o'clock by President Boffe, and the roll call found Councilman Lunt absent.

Several papers were received from the board of aldermen and passed in concurrence.

The order introduced last week by Councilman Bothfield of ward seven, instructing the legislature committee to confer with neighboring cities to secure a broader and more equitable method of

Snow That Did Not Reach the Ground.

Possibly the most novel feature of two balloon voyages near Denver, and the one mostly commented upon, was the experience of the Eagle Eyrie and its occupants in the snowstorm. Not a flake of the "beautiful" dropped in Denver or on the crowds of people who gazed on the air ship directly above them. The sun shone brightly and oppressively hot, and yet in five minutes after the great bag had left the earth it was in a raging snowstorm, almost directly over the point where the balloon was cut from its moorings.

It was blowing a perfect fury, the great flakes swirling and flying in blinding profusion into the faces of the voyagers, filling the basket and covering the top with a sheet fully three inches thick. No such occurrence has ever been recorded in the history of ballooning, and the chances are not favorable to its ever occurring again. But the space of 100 feet and the occupants of the car vanished from the glowing sunshine into the freezing snow.—Denver Republican.

Exporting Live Geese from Russia.

Live geese are exported from Russia to Germany and Austria in very large numbers. An export house of Warsaw intends building special cars for the transportation of geese directly to their places of destination, if the railroad managers will grant them permission to run the cars. The ministry on roads of intercommunication was notified of the proposal of that firm, and its favorable decision is expected. The cars are to be constructed with appliances to change from the broad gauge of the Russian lines to the narrow gauge of the German lines without loss of time.—St. Petersburg Letter.

Will Be Visited by the Queen.

Costebelle, the charming suburb of Hyeres, at which it is announced that the queen will spend the month of March, is delightfully situated on the southern slopes of the lovely Costebelle hills, and is promptly identified by Americans as "the nearest thing in Europe to a south California ranch"—though the busy little neighboring town, with its orchestra and casino, somewhat upsets the delusion.—London Letter.

In a photograph of the heavens now in course of preparation at the Paris observatory, it is calculated that 60,000,000 stars will be represented. In the nebula of the Lyre, M. Bailland took a photograph 4 by 5½ inches which reveals 4,800 stars to the naked eye!

The Florida orange has so far supplanted those from the Mediterranean that they will be shipped directly from Florida to Europe. In the Liverpool market they bring nearly double the price of other oranges.

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High School Notes.

A meeting of the Athletic Association was held in room 12, at recess Friday, Jan. 29, President Lord in the chair. The records of the last meeting were read and approved. Mr. Stone, '92, spoke with regard to the annual athletic meet, requesting the boys to enter although they were not fine athletes, as the meeting would not be a success without a long entry list. Mr. Cratts, '92, made a motion that the annual meet be held on Tuesday evening, March 15. Mr. Knox, '14, moved that the school enter the Interscholastic Athletic Association. The following motions were then made: By Mr. Blake, '92, That the same rules and regulations be used at the Athletic meet as were used last year; by Mr. Howard, that a vote of thanks be extended to the gentleman who gave some money toward painting the tennis court in the drill hall; by Mr. Page, '93, that a vote of thanks be given the graduate who prevented the basketball team from the ball team; by Mr. Stone, '92, that a vote of thanks be expressed to the captain and sub-captain of last year's football team and by Mr. Brewer, '93, that the executive committee of the Association be authorized to go ahead and make the meetings for the basketball team. All of the above motions were passed. Entries may be given to the representatives of the different classes.

The first half of the school year ended last Friday. The various programs have been changed some.

An extra drill was held on Saturday forenoon beginning at 9 o'clock. Very good work was done, and in consequence the battalion shows marked improvement. Another extra drill will be held next Saturday at the same time.

Until further notice the teachers of the Newton High school will be in attendance at the High school building, one day each week from 2.30 to 4.30 o'clock in the afternoon, to give assistance to all pupils who need special help in the difficulties of their work, or making up lessons lost by unavoidable absences. Parents are cordially invited to improve this opportunity to consult with the teachers, or to gain any information they may desire in regard to the school. It is hoped that parents will cooperate with the teachers in this effort to render a more efficient service to the patrons of the High school. Programs have been distributed among the pupils, stating on what days each teacher will be at the school.

A meeting of the lyceum was held Saturday evening in room 14. About 60 were present. A banjo and guitar club gave a few selections. Mr. Blodgett, '93, a guitar solo and Miss Wood, '92, a declamation. The records of the last meeting were read and approved. The bill for the evening was then read as follows: Resolved that emigrants coming to this country over ten years of age be restricted from voting in State and Federal elections, signed Blodgett, '92. In the absence of Mr. Stonemetz, '92, chairman of the committee, Mr. Blake, '92, read the committee's report against the bill. Messrs. Blodgett, '92, Green, '92 and Williams, '92, spoke in favor of the bill and Messrs. Stone, '92 and Franklin, '93, spoke against it. The vote stood 26 to 21 in favor of the bill, thus putting Mr. Burgess, '92, out of the speaker's chair. The meeting adjourned at 9.10.

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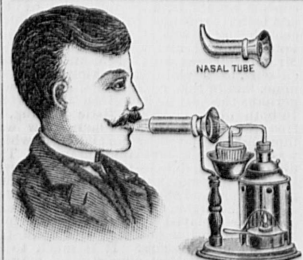


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To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, and all other persons interested in the estate of Charles H. Lord, late of Newton, in said County, deceased.

GREETING: Whereas a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said Charles H. Lord, late of Newton, in said County, deceased, has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by George C. Lord and Francis L. Hayes, who pray that letters testamentary may be issued to them, the executors therein named, and that they may be exempt from giving a surety or sureties on their bond pursuant to said will and statute. You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge in said County of Middlesex, on the second Tuesday of February next at nine o'clock before noon, to show cause, if any you have, against the same.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once a week, for three successive weeks, in the newspaper called the Newton Graphic, printed at Newton, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, George M. Brooks, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this eighteenth day of January, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-two.

J. H. TYLER, Register.

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FOR THE WHOLE PEOPLE.

PETITION OF LEADING WOOLLEN MANUFACTURERS IN SUPPORT OF THE SPRINGER BILL.

The American Wool and Cotton Reporter has printed the following petition to Congress, by leading woollen manufacturers representing the Wool Consumers' Association, in support of the Springer bill:

To the Honorable the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States: The Wool Consumers' Association respectfully petitions the fifty-second Congress to change schedule K relating to wool and woolsens, in the tariff act of 1890, for the relief of woollen manufacturers, and for the benefit of all consumers of woollen fabrics.

It is, of course, undesirable in general to change tariffs frequently, but the general principles of the act of 1890, as applied to wool and woolsens, are the same as have been tried unsatisfactorily for very many years, except that it aggravates some of the worst and most oppressive features of former acts in relation to wool.

The act has therefore practically been tested by the trials of many years, and there is no occasion to test it by longer experience. It is not true that the act, in its present form, can work no harm to woollen manufacturers. It works the same injury to the makers of wool as and worsted cloth that the restrictions on the use of wool always have produced; and, in the case of the carpet trade, which consumes a very large proportion of all the imported wool, it is the most oppressive act ever passed.

The wool schedule (K), of the tariff act of 1890 offers an exceptional opportunity, by amendments making wool free and relatively decreasing both the specific and valorem duties on woollen goods, to benefit immensely the woollen manufacturers by giving them free access to the supplies of wool of various qualities, such as all other competing manufacturing countries enjoy, and by reducing thus without injury to manufacturers the cost of their goods to the consumers, while leaving sufficient protection. With free raw materials the tax on imports of competing goods would be almost entirely for the protection of labor; and, as free raw materials would greatly increase the consumption, there would be an increased demand for labor.

Neither is it true that there has come to consumers by the law of 1890. In the first place the increased cost of wool, as compared with prices in Europe, has forced the use of cotton and other adulterants to a great and unusual extent, and, secondly, if woollen goods have not advanced they might have been lower but for the duties on wool. There is no question among manufacturers that the act of 1890 was intended to advance prices, not that it was well calculated to do so to the extent that consumers could afford. The almost universal fall in prices was caused in very small degree, if at all, by the tariff of 1890. The tremendous losses in the Argentine Republic and elsewhere, the failure of the Barings, the distrust caused by silver legislation, the low price of cotton in the South on account of an enormous crop, the failure of crops in the North and West prior to 1891, causing dull trade and reduced consumption, are the principal causes that brought distress and falling prices.

What those manufacturers and wool growers who arranged the wool schedule with the intention of increasing prices want is, no doubt, to be let alone, so that the tariff act may produce, under the most favorable auspices, the results they expected and worked for. But the relief that the public needs is a permanent relief from taxes which oppress both them and manufacturers, which hamper the latter, as every manufacturer admits, and which largely increase the cost of woollen goods to the public.

DOES NOT MEAN FREE TRADE.

The readjustment of the tariff on the basis of free wool is perfectly simple; it needs but the removal of the duties on wool which were put on to offset the cost of the wool duties. Here is a great boon to every manufacturer of wool and to every consumer. It is absurd to say that, because the duty is taken off of one article, free trade must follow. Congress is not obliged to adopt free trade because the duty is taken off of wool, any more than it was when it made Jute or tea or coffee or sugar free.

The growth of the wool manufacture has undoubtedly been great during the past thirty years, for the country, with its vast natural resources and enormous immigration, has increased vastly in population and wealth; but the growth of the manufacture would be much more prosperous and much greater with free wool, and its growth and prosperity mean larger use of domestic wools and higher prices abroad for all competing wools.

It is clear from the statements of the National Association of Wool Manufacturers and from undoubted facts, emphasized by the vast increase in the imports of wool since the passage of the act of 1890 and by the falling prices of Ohio wool, that this country produces practically no carpet wool to supply the demand for nearly 100,000,000 pounds needed by the carpet manufacturers, and only a part of the clothing and combing wools needed; and it is further to be considered that the use of wool for so-called "woolens" would be much larger if the restrictions of the wool duties did not greatly reduce the consumption of wool and largely increase the use of shoddy and cotton in so-called woollen goods. And this is the case after a long series of years of high duties on wool.

In the theory of the "new protection," it is laid down as a principle that "the necessities entering into the daily life of the mass of the people which we cannot economically produce should be made free." On this principle wool should certainly be made free. It is a most important article for all the people. It is produced in this country in inadequate quantities, and not in the necessary varieties and qualities. Some indispensable grades can be produced in this country only under conditions unfavorable as compared with those of other countries. High duties for a quarter of a century have failed to produce any carpet wool in this country and have also failed to produce an adequate supply of the wools needed for the woollen and worsted manufacture.

And as wool can be made free with a large reduction in cost of goods and with

very little disturbance of trade or of interference with sufficient protection, it is only reasonable that the changes suggested in schedule K, of the act of 1890, should be made for the benefit of the whole people.

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Executive Committee of the Wool Consumers' Association.

Boston, Jan. 25, 1892.

Free Trade With Canada.

Senator Sherman has not abandoned his advocacy of reciprocal trade relations between this country and Canada. According to our Washington correspondence, published Friday, Mr. Sherman, being waited upon by some of the Canadian commissioners, now at Washington, assured them "that he had given much thought to the subject, and during the last Congress he had introduced resolutions in the Senate looking to reciprocity with Canada or the establishment of free-trade relations between that country and the United States. He said he still believed it would be for the best interests of both if some satisfactory arrangement for the free exchange of the principal products of each without tax or tariff could be had."

As Senator Sherman declares, it would be for the best interests of both Canada and the United States if there could be a "free exchange of the principal products of each without tax or tariff." What prevents this advantageous consummation but political exigencies? American and Canadian politicians block the way of a policy which would confer lasting benefits upon Boston and New England, elevating this city to a position of commercial supremacy it can acquire in no other way. One would think that Massachusetts legislators would be instant and untiring in pressing this subject upon the consideration of Congress. But we forgot. Massachusetts is expected to speak with bated breath against measures threatening our own industrial prosperity, and stand ready to sacrifice it at the call of other States.

The commercial associations Boston has within its borders cannot expend their energies and time in furtherance of any object which would be so conducive to the growth of this city as the establishment of untrammelled trade with Canada. Far-seeing Bostonians perceive and acknowledge this fact.

The Organ of the Protective Tariff League in its short tariff sermons states without blushing that "our workmen receive nearly all the benefit derived from protection," and then says that the American farm laborer gets \$20 a month while the English farm laborer gets but \$8.50. As the American farm laborer is not protected in any way, the Economist ought to explain why he gets higher wages. In the Pennsylvania coal mines, and on the other hand, the protected laborer receives such low wages that only the lowest class of foreigners can be induced to work there. If the laborer receives "nearly all the benefit derived from protection," where do these starving miners come in? The Economist ought really not to style its fictions "sermons," as the first requisite of a sermon is that it shall be truthful.

PAWNED THE CANNONS.

HOW ONE OF KING KALAKAUA'S SHIPS GOT HOME AGAIN.

Reminiscences of life in the Southern seas were being told by a number of acquaintances who were stopping at the Occidental, says the Seattle Press-Times. They were all commercial travellers, and two of them had been to the islands.

"Old King Kalakaua's ambition to own a navy," said Frank Albrecht, "ended in one of the best bits of international comedy I ever heard of. I think the story, which is perfectly true, is not generally known, and I have never seen it in print.

"For years the genial old barbarian had gazed upon the greatness of the navies of other nations and cherished the desire to be represented and have the dignity of his kingdom sustained by a real armed cruiser.

"The more he saw of the warships of other nations lying in his own harbor the more it preyed on his mind. At last the happy day came when he saved enough, notwithstanding the efforts of the cabinet officers, who tried to tempt him to play freeze out and other games of hazard, to buy a navy for his beloved government. He had already selected the vessel he was to buy.

"It was the American ship Ethan Allen, a serviceable craft, bought of Americans and armed with four 10-pounders.

"Then Kalakaua conceived an idea of reciprocity with Samoa, the nearest neighboring group whose dignity approached that of Hawaii. One fine day the Hawaiian navy sailed off on its mission, and in time reached the harbor of Apia. The flag of the sugar islands was a pretty sight to the commander of the vessel, and the gorgeous man-o-war drove the Samoans nearly wild with envy.

"A brass band, made up of Kanakas, played the national anthem every night for 'lights out,' and every day the dusky crew strutted along the beach and looked disdainfully at the poor natives of Apia.

"After a while the stores ran low, and the Hawaiian navy was still 2000 miles from home. The commander went to the merchants of Apia, and ordered a store of salt horse and sea bread. They wanted their pay in advance. The naval officer told them with considerable dignity to charge it.

"To whom?" they asked.

"To King Kalakaua," was the reply.

"Who is he?" came next.

"The officer pitied their ignorance, but he couldn't enlighten them enough to get any stores on tick. He finally pawned the beautiful 10-pounders for enough to last during the homeward passage.

"The navy is now anchored in the harbor of Honolulu, serving as a quarantine station. It is said that the last days of the king were shortened by this setback of his life's ambition, and that frequently when he looked up from an aide high hand there was a pearly tear on the side of his nose. Observers thought it was because he couldn't win that he wept, but his cabinet officers who sat at the game with him knew differently."

ARE YOU A YOUNG MAN?

WELL, THIS IS LEAP YEAR, AND YOU MAY MEET AN EMERGENCY.

Boys, you should hold yourselves in readiness at all times for the emergency, for you are liable to be astonished at any time by a proposal of marriage from some lady, as it is leap year, remarks the Danville Breeze. Accept graciously, but with becoming dignity, if the proposition is agreeable. If it is distasteful, then decline gently, but firmly, assuring the lady of your best wishes for her future happiness, and giving her as much rot about being a brother to her as the case seems to warrant. Remember at all times that you are a man, and that there are as good fish in the sea as ever were caught out of it, so there is no need being in a hurry to throw yourself away on a worthless partner, as too many of our sex have done. Many a worse fate awaits a man than to die an old bachelor. Above all things never marry a woman in the hope of reforming her. Hundreds of our fellow men are now dragging out a miserable existence, overburdened with poverty stricken, hen-pecked and sorrowful—who married a woman of questionable habits and disposition in the vain hope of reforming her and leading her onward and upward to a purer, nobler sphere. Linked to a partner worthy of his noble characteristics, that is the aim, now an object of pity, might have shone like an arc light, of a million candle power, in any station of life he saw fit to honor with his presence. Therefore, boys, we say so slowly. Think twice before you act. Then when you do act, act as though it was a great condescension in your part to consult the commercial rating of her father, as in the mad rush for gain you may need some backing of a financial nature. See?

We throw out these few hints, not for the purpose of throwing cold water upon this matrimonial business. Far different. On the contrary, we endorse it. It is all right. Every man should be married. But we merely want you to use due deliberation and not rush blindly into a relation that is bound to effect the future of your lives for good or evil.

The Servant Girl Question.

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THE GRADE CROSSINGS.

As will be seen by the report of the city council, a step preparatory to the removal of grade crossings was taken on Monday evening, and in an executive session the results of conferences with railroad officials was disclosed, and it is said that work will begin the coming season.

Mayor Hibbard was interviewed on the matter, but said there was really nothing definite to announce, as no decided action had yet been taken. He had found President Bliss ready to discuss all matters relative to the removal of grade crossing in a very friendly manner and willing to meet the wishes of the citizens.

All that has been decided is that the tracks will be raised about ten feet, and a stone retaining wall built on each side. Iron bridges will be placed over the streets, and the streets in Newton Corner will some of them be cut down not more than three or four feet, which would make a level grade on Washington street, and but a slight depression on Centre and Church streets. The main difficulty of the problem is on Highland and Chestnut streets, West Newton, but in regard to these, nothing has yet been definitely decided.

Real estate men expect that the doing away with the dangerous grade crossings will efface all distinction between the North and South side of the tracks, as then children can cross in safety on their way to school or on other errands, and there will be no waiting for teams at the gates.

The plan of sinking the tracks has been carefully considered, and has been pronounced impracticable by the railroad engineers. To sink the tracks sufficiently to make steep ascents to bridges unnecessary, would put the tracks down 12 or more feet, and the road would have to establish a special pumping plant to take care of the drainage. In digging the sewers water was often found at the depth of four feet, in sufficient quantity to stop the work, and the railroad ditch would have to go much deeper. Then any moderately heavy snow storm would be apt to block all trains until the snow could be dug out, and Newton people would not like this any better than the through passengers would. Lastly, the expense of digging a ditch wide enough for four tracks would be more than twice that of raising the tracks.

It is going to be a very expensive undertaking for the road, but they can afford that, and the near approach of the abolition of all crossings at grade on the north side of the city ought to make all the citizens good-natured and willing to treat with the railroad authorities in a friendly manner. We are dependent on the road for the growth and prosperity of the city, and the road is dependent on Newton for a large part of its most profitable traffic, so that obligations are about equal.

Other cities have tried these high embankments, such as Springfield, Rochester, N. Y., and Philadelphia, and they all find them bearable and far preferable to the old system. Worcester is getting ready for a work of the same kind as will be adopted in Newton, so that whether the change means misery or happiness we shall have plenty of company.

The congressional reports are sometimes interesting reading and the tilt between Congressmen Hoar and Morse left the great stove polisher in a rather delicate position. Mr. Morse ought to have found out by this time that it always pays in the long run to come as near to the truth as his constitutional idiosyncrasies will allow. Mr. Hoar first convicted him of inserting into the Congressional Record words that he did not utter on the floor of Congress and leaving out what he did say. Mr. Morse denied this with a good deal of personal comment and ridicule of the kindergarten school in politics, when Mr. Hoar simply read from the official stenographer's notes, and proved his assertions without descending to answer any of the personal abuse. The young men from Massachusetts are very wide awake, and hereafter Mr. Morse will probably be less general in his statements and more careful about adding to reports of his speeches.

There was the usual small attendance of lot-owners at the annual meeting of the Newton Cemetery Corporation, but it was an unpleasant night, and the lot-owners are so thoroughly satisfied with the way the trustees have managed that they see no necessity for attending the meetings, in order to give a formal endorsement to the excellent work that has

been done. It takes some opposition to call out lively interest, and if in some way the lot-owners could have been made to believe that there was any danger of any one of the present trustees being defeated, there would have been a crowd large enough to have satisfied the trustees that they had the approval of the lot-owners, and also their gratitude for the amount of time and care they devote to their work. The fault is in human nature and not in the Newton lot-owners especially. Even if a fine was imposed on all lot-owners who did not attend, the great majority would gladly pay the fine rather than take the trouble of going to City Hall to attend the annual meetings.

The use of money at elections is one of the scandals of our politics, and the present legislature should pass some effective bill to restrict such expenditures within reasonable bounds. There are proper and improper ways of spending money, but no one will pretend that a hundred thousand dollars could be properly expended in Massachusetts, although that amount is said to have been collected for use by one party in one of our state campaigns. Mr. R. H. Dana has prepared a bill which would seem to make bribery impossible and some such bill ought to be passed.

MAYOR MATTHEWS makes a good point against the Boston police commission when he calls attention to the open way in which lottery tickets are sold in that city, and says if he had control of the police for twenty-four hours he would put these law-breakers in jail with evidence enough to convict them. The plan to extend a similar police commission over the whole state is not received with great favor, in view of the failings of the Boston system. All these attacks will have one good result, however, they will tend to make the Boston commission attend more strictly to business.

Ward Seven is now the only ward in the city which is not divided into two voting precincts, Wards One, Three, and Six, having been divided at the last meeting of the city government. The division of Ward three is welcome news to all who like to get election returns the night of the election, and this ward ought now to be able to get rid of its old established reputation of being the last ward in the city to get in its returns. That distinction promises now to belong to Ward Seven, unless its counters are exceptionally expert.

THE Telephone company has not yet given up its purpose to erect telephone poles on West Newton hill, and unless the residents there make a very vigorous remonstrance, they may have to put up with the poles just the same as people in other sections.

The Newton and Boston street Railroad now promises to have its cars running by July 1st, that is if the storage battery system proves to be a success.

The assignees of Contractor Killian have sued the city for \$150,000, and the papers were served on Wednesday.

Y. M. C. A.

The list of subscriptions toward the current expenses of the Newton Young Men's Christian Association, has been enlarged during the week as follows:—J. W. Davis, (additional) \$20; H. E. Cobb, \$5; H. B. A., \$10; W. H. Capen, \$25; Mrs. S. C. Shapleigh, \$50; Charles Hunt, \$10; S. Holmes, \$10; Miss E. L. Shapleigh, \$15; A. friend, \$100; L. B. Gay, \$25; N. Whitaker, \$10; J. H. Nichols, \$50; making the total as thus far published \$1140. The total amount asked for is \$2500.

The Sunday four o'clock men's meeting in Y. M. C. A. hall are increasing in interest and attendance, some sixty-five being present last Sunday. The orchestra, which now numbers ten instruments, is doing good work and proving a great attraction. Arrangements have been made for special vocal music by a quartet next Sunday, and a piano is to be provided to replace the organ as soon as possible.

Fred Emerson Brooks certainly proved himself an original genius in his humorous and other poetical productions in Eliot Hall, Monday evening, while Master George Irving Pettengill shared liberally in the continuous encores accorded every number on the program.

The three o'clock meeting of the Junior department of the Y. M. C. A. is unusually interesting last Sunday, twenty-nine boys being present and many practical suggestions being brought out by the reports from the eleven delegates who attended the state convention at Hyde Park, the week previous. These Sunday meetings have been continued regularly since Mr. Yarnan was here last fall, the boys conducting them in a highly creditable manner and accomplishing much good thereby. Next Sunday Mr. H. G. Leybold, for several years connected with the Boys' Work of the New York Association will conduct the services to which all boys between 12 and 16 years of age are invited.

Letter From Marjorie Dav.

Newton, Feb. 3d, 1892.
MY DEAR JEAN:—Again I am pressed into service and this time military service in earnest, and even the wearing of epaulettes and brass buttons with clanking sword and spurs could not impress upon me the sense of duty more strongly than the appeal of the Grand Army of the Republic for assistance in their coming Fair of a week's duration.

Some think a genuine combat with bricks and mortar, preferable to the asking of funds for the erection of the same, for even so worthy an object as a G. A. R. Memorial, but the majority do not wait for such importuning. They herald with delight an opportunity to show their appreciation of the Boys of '61, and every man, woman and child proudly bears forth his offering in token of their love and valor.

With such an outburst of gratitude they can speedily erect a Memorial of use and beauty and a worthy tribute of respect to our fallen heroes.

The bugle call stirs every man to action and Feb. 22nd, will find us all at our posts awaiting the surrendering of your time and your pocketbook. Yours 'neath the Stars and Stripes. MARJORIE DAW.

NEWTON CEMETERY OWNERS.

ANNUAL MEETING OF THE CORPORATION
—INTERESTING REPORTS.

The annual meeting of the Newton Cemetery Corporation was held Wednesday evening in the police court room, West Newton.

The meeting was not largely attended, barely a quorum being present, and the opinion generally prevailed that a majority of the lot owners in the Newton Cemetery took very little interest and gave very small encouragement to those upon whom the duties of supervising and carrying on the work devolved.

President E. B. Haskell of Auburndale called the meeting to order, and the board of trustees elected is as follows:—E. B. Haskell, W. P. Tyler, J. F. C. Hyde, B. F. Houghton, A. R. Mitchell, Otis Pettie, George Frost, Francis Murdoch, E. M. Fowle.

Superintendent Ross submitted his report for the year 1891.

REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT FOR 1891.
Lots were sold to the amount of 7200 feet of land, or 24 lots of 300 feet each. They were sold to 39 persons. Added to sales to Jan. 1, 1891, 1156, makes a total of lots sold to Jan. 1, 1892, 1180.

This year's sales were made to 39 persons, making a total of lot owners Jan. 1, 1892, 1185.

Interments during the year 1891, being the largest number since the cemetery started. Number interred to Jan. 1, 1891, 3357; number interred to Jan. 1, 1892, 3530.

Five bodies remained in tomb, Jan. 1, 1891, 19 were deposited during the year, making a total of 24; 20 were removed leaving 4 in tomb Jan. 1, 1892.

The chapel was used seven times.
About 4075 days' work were performed and six horses were employed most of the time.
Two stone bridges were built over the Cold Spring brook, and part of Lake Avenue was moved about twenty feet to the north, and the pond was enlarged; the bank on the north side of avenue and pond was graded, and quite a large number of lots were partly graded on the south of the brook at an expense of about \$1200.

About 1400 feet of new fence was built on the corner of Oak City and Huntington streets, and the fence on Beacon street, and the whole length of the south line was rebuilt with partly new and partly old lumber, at an expense of about \$400.

The alterations and improvements to house cost about \$1434.

Twelve monuments were set in the grounds; also sixty-seven tablets and one flight of granite steps.

The nursery and plants in greenhouse are in good condition.
One of the greenhouses should be rebuilt before another winter.

All the other buildings are in good repair.

HENRY ROSS, Sup't.

TREASURER'S REPORT.

Mr. Otis Pettie submitted the report of the treasurer, showing some interesting statistics.

Cash on hand, Dec. 31, 1890, \$2,322.43; received from all sources, \$32,732.00; cash on hand, Dec. 31, 1891, \$1,336.82.

Nursery—sales during year \$2,456.64; expended, \$1,365.00; balance, \$1,090.74. Greenhouse—sales, \$884.12; expense, \$350.38; balance, \$533.74.

Perpetual care fund—amount collected to Dec. 31, 1891, \$74,442.13; value of lots sold in 1891, \$8,000; expended for care of old lots, \$700; for care of new lots, \$2380; invested in mortgages, \$75,621.13. Total assets, \$30,067.77; total liabilities, \$19,678.17; net assets, \$10,789.58; unavailable assets, \$16,531.20.

President Haskell for the trustees made the following report:

TRUSTEES' REPORT.

The trustees are able to report that the affairs of the Newton Cemetery Corporation have been successfully administered during the past year; that the cemetery grounds have been kept in good condition, corresponding with the taste and character of our community; and that the financial condition of the corporation shows an appreciable improvement for the year. The aggregate sales of lots amounted to \$9034. The perpetual care fund has been increased by \$3989, of which \$700 was on old lots, and \$2380 on new. The fund now amounts to \$75,837.13, of which, at the end of the year, \$74,442.13 had been collected, leaving \$1395 still uncollected. All of this fund collected and \$1170 more is invested, and the income received from such investments is becoming an important factor in meeting the annual cost of caring for the grounds. The sinking fund for the payment of the coupon notes was increased during the year by \$2500, and the financial exhibit shows an increase of more than seven thousand dollars in the excess of assets over liabilities. In addition to this, about the usual amount has been expended in making permanent improvements on the grounds, including two rustic stone bridges, constructed in good keeping with their surroundings. A very satisfactory improvement has also been made to the house, at a cost of \$1434. This has made it good for quite a number of years to come, and every visitor will be pleased with the change, made at a comparatively small expense. The number of lots now graded and ready for sale is about three hundred, of 300 square feet each, and there is no pressing necessity for any more grading at the present time, except so far as is necessary to complete the improvements of the new ground opened by the avenue which goes round the ponds. In this vicinity will be found ample opportunity for all the extra work of which the usual complement of men is capable for the year to come.

Our efficient superintendent has done all in his power to make us forget the loss of his able assistant, and as heretofore, merits our confidence and esteem. For the Trustees,
E. B. HASKELL,
President.

On a motion by Mr. Sheldon, the trustees were empowered to buy and sell land and act for the best interests of the cemetery, and on motion of Mr. Barnard a vote of thanks was extended to the trustees for their efficient services.

Mr. W. P. Tyler believed in getting new and younger men on the board of trustees. He said the new lot owners would become more interested in the cemetery and advance new ideas and suggestions. Mr. Sheldon did not favor dispensing with a good, able and conservative administration unless for cause, and believed in keeping the cemetery, one of the most beautiful in the country, under the supervision of those who had done much to make it so.

Superintendent Ross spoke of the first year the cemetery was commenced, 31 years ago, and the hard struggle of the first years.

After adjournment, the board of trustees organized and elected the following officers: President, E. B. Haskell; clerk

and auditor, E. M. Fowle; treasurer, Otis Pettie; committee on finance, the president ex-officio, James F. C. Hyde, Austin R. Mitchell; committee on grounds, the president ex-officio, William P. Tyler, E. M. Fowle, B. F. Houghton, Francis Murdoch; visiting committee, W. P. Tyler, B. F. Houghton, Francis Murdoch, George Frost.

The salary of the superintendent was continued as at present, and on motion of Mr. Tyler the superintendent was authorized to expend for new shrubbery \$1000.

The President's Message.

The President's message on the Chilian affair has caused a good deal of comment, and many explanations have been given out of the way it happened to be sent in.

Mr. Allen of Mississippi, the wag of the House, got off his opinion of it in a very sly way, by telling a story, apropos of nothing, about a number of farm hands running for shelter from a storm. One man nearly ran himself to death, and fell exhausted on the barn floor. "What did you run so violently for?" asked the foreman. "Because," gasped the man, "I was afraid the rain would be over before I got to the barn."

They Must Pay Their Shares.

The city of Newton and the town of Brookline which objected to the award of the special commissioners who apportioned the cost of the Metropolitan sewer, have been worsted in their attempt to have the Supreme Court revise the award, for Judge Barker, who heard objections made by counsel, has sent down a decision confirming the award. The objection was based on the action of special commissioners who assessed upon the city and town a part of the cost of the North Metropolitan system as well as their proportionate part of the cost of the Charles River system. It was contended by Newton and Brookline that inasmuch as they did not use the North Metropolitan system, they should not be asked to pay for it.

MARRIED.

HOLM—LANTZ—At Boston, Jan. 28, by Rev. Frederick Peterson, Charles Holm, Boston, and Emma Lantz, Newton.

TRIMFELT—BURNETT—At Newton, Jan. 31, by Rev. Wolcott Perkins, D.D., Richard E. Trimfelt, Hyde Park, and Bertha Turan Burnett, Attleborough.

DIED.

MATSON—At Newton Centre, Jan. 15, Ernest Arthur, son of Alexander Matson, 1 year, 1 mo., 13 days.

MURDOCK—At Avon Park, Fla., Jan. 29, Harry L. Murdock, of West Newton, 21 years, 6 mo., 13 days.

LLOYD—At Newton Centre, Jan. 25, Anne Clifford Lloyd, widow of Joseph A. Lloyd, 86 years, 3 days.

PENDERGAST—At Newton Lower Falls, Jan. 23, Margaret Marcella daughter of James F. and Mary Pendergast, 1 year, 5 months, 16 days.

EKEBERG—At Newton Cottage Hospital Jan. 30, Marie Emeline Nicoleni Ekeberg, 21 years, 2 months.

SHERIDAN—At Newton Upper Falls, Jan. 30, Catherine Sheridan, 77 years, 5 months.

LYONS—At Newton, Feb. 1, Timothy Lyons 38 years.



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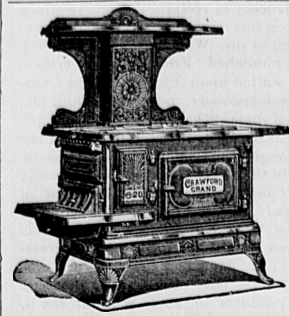
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NEWTONVILLE.

—Farley, 433 Wash. St., Newton, pianos
—Mr. W. F. Sylvester is quite ill with la grippe.
—Mr. F. H. Hunting is convalescing from his recent illness.
—Mrs. J. G. Thompson is convalescent from an attack of la grippe.
—Mr. and Mrs. George P. Stoker have returned from their wedding tour.
—Mr. William Brown of Park Place is entertaining guests from New York.
—The A. O. U. W. met and initiated several new members Monday evening.
—The Y. P. S. C. E. meets Sunday evening at 6.30 in Universalist Church parlors.
—The Neighborhood Club met Wednesday evening with Mr. Henry Soule, Brooks Ave.
—Dill of Waltham has leased the store in Associates block formerly occupied by S. W. Carr.
—Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Wandless are receiving congratulations over the advent of a daughter.
—Miss Linda Curtis, who has been visiting her parents for a few days, has returned to Bridgewater.
—Mr. Geo. Loomis' house on Lowell street has been rented by Mr. Fuller to Dr. Paine of Westboro, Mass.
—The Unity Club has on exhibition this week some fine water colors by Joseph Brown. All are welcome.
—The "Land A Hand" Society of the Universalist Church will hold a leap year party at Tremont Hall, Feb. 29.
—Miss Remington, who has been visiting Miss Bigelow for a few days, has returned to her home in Worcester.
—Mrs. M. C. Davy of Weymouth formerly of Newtonville has been spending a few days in Newtonville this week, stopping with Mrs. Geo. A. Strout of Lowell St.
—The Royal Arcanum gave a very enjoyable dance at Tremont Hall Friday evening. An elegant collation was served, and about 40 couples enjoyed dancing until a late hour.
—The Second team of the Newton club and the B. A. A. played a match at the club house last evening, the former winning by 2362 to 2293. Four men put up three string scores of over 500.
—Rudolph Aronson's New York Casino Opera Co. with 45 people come to Park Theatre, Waltham, to-morrow evening in the latest Parisian success, Uncle Celestin, same company as appears next week at the Boston Theatre.
—The monthly reception will be held in the Universalist parlors next Thursday evening, Feb. 11th, when a very interesting program will be presented. A large attendance to greet the new pastor and wife, Rev. and Mrs. Priest, is expected.

—Gen. Hull Lodge, No. 123, A. O. U. W. conferred the degrees on four candidates Monday evening and have seen more applications for membership on hand. A collation was served as usual. This lodge is increasing its membership very rapidly.
—Miss Janet Grant will repeat her paper on "Outings in Edinburgh" by request of the Guild on Tuesday afternoon, Feb. 9th, in the Methodist vestry. Sketches and photographs will add to the pleasure of this delightful talk and a large audience is anticipated.
—A grand concert of War songs will be given in about two weeks, in the Universalist Church, for the benefit of the Grand Army Fair, soon to take place in this city. A chorus, consisting of good singers from the various Newton's will participate, and other attractions will be furnished.
—Miss Annie Hayden Webster, whose lecture before the Guild last week proved so very interesting, will give the Psyche dance in costume and illustrate her methods of teaching Mrs. Chalons, 137 Lowell street, this afternoon at 2.30 p. m. All interested cordially welcome.

—Mr. Cleophas White, formerly of this ward died in Arieht, Cape Breton, last week, where he had been staying for his health. The deceased leaves a wife and two children. Mr. Simon A. White was called by telegram, but arrived there after his death, and will remain in Cape Breton a few days.
—The annual meeting of the Firemen's Relief Association was held in the truck house Wednesday evening. Henry L. Bixby was elected president; W. S. Cargill, vice-president; W. S. Higgins, secretary and treasurer. At the close of the business session, the members of the association and a few invited guests partook of an excellent collation, followed by the customary post prandial exercises.

—Mrs. R. A. White is the happy recipient of a silver tea service from the ladies of the Universalist parish, and it will be a reminder in some slight degree of the love and esteem in which she is held by young and old to whom, during the five years, as pastor's wife, she has been a loving friend, devoted to the interests of the parish and affording in a wonderful degree with all that pertains to their spiritual welfare. The Chicago parish is greatly envious just now.

—Rev. R. A. White preached to a very large congregation on Sunday morning, on "The Young People's Work," emphasizing that of the Society of Christian Endeavor, of the grand results accomplished since its beginning, and of the great future of the young people of the future. Mr. White left Tuesday for Chicago, and while he is in no sense preached a farewell sermon, that thought so strongly filled the mind of pastor and people that deep feeling was manifested. Mr. White specially urged for his friend, Rev. Ira Priest, who succeeds him, the cordial interest and co-operation of the parish.

—The Glee singers of the Newton Club gave a delightful concert in the clubhouse last Saturday evening, the organization at once winning its way into the popular favor by its excellent work. Under the skilful direction of Mr. F. C. Hunting, the director, commendable progress has been made. The Glee Club will undoubtedly be an important factor in the entertainment features hereafter and its debut has been attended with all the pleasurable anticipations of future success. At the close of the concert, refreshments were served in the dining room. Stewart Trenthardt was in charge and "the spread" was pronounced first-class. Monday evening, Feb. 8, the Glee singers will give a reception to the ladies and the wives, sisters and sweethearts of club members will be invited.

—Sunday evening in the Methodist vestry a meeting was held in aid of the Emigrant Home in East Boston. Mrs. Mansfield, the president of the Woman's Home Missionary Society of the M. E. church, ably outlined the work being done in caring for the friends with whom they are in this, to them, strange land. The matron of the Home, Miss Clark, graphically described her work on the wharves as the steamers unload their steerage passengers, her task being to select such as have no friends, and take them to the Home until places for work are obtained. Mrs. Jackson, the pastor's wife, was most happy in introducing the speakers and closed a very interesting meeting by an earnest and pointed appeal for financial aid. Mrs. Soden's beautiful rendering of "If I were a Voice," added a sympathetic touch to the missionary spirit. Any one interested in this noble charity may address Mrs. Clark, matron of the Emigrant Home, Marginal street, East Boston.

WEST NEWTON.

—C. Farley, tuner, 433 Wash'n st. Newton
—Miss Emma Nickerson gives a dancing party on Feb. 15th.
—Miss Hineckley has moved into her new house on Essex street.
—Mr. Richard Elkins and family have returned from New York.
—The city water was introduced into the Pine Farm School this week.
—Mr. C. F. Howland and family have returned from a trip to the South.
—City Marshal Richardson is out and about town having recovered from his recent illness.
—Mrs. M. S. Davis returned from Maine today after a short visit among relatives in the Pine Tree state.
—Mr. John Greenwood, Jr., arrived home this week after a six week's business trip through the South and West.
—Mr. and Mrs. George Cook of Waltham street departed this week for Florida where they will remain during the winter.
—The W. C. T. U. will meet in Knights of Honor Hall, Tuesday, Feb. 9, at 3 p. m., followed by meeting of L. T. L. at 4 o'clock.
—Mr. John L. Stoddard will deliver his brilliantly illustrated lecture, "Jerusalem and the Holy Land," at Park Theatre this evening.
—Marshall & Wilson catered for the annual supper of the Fireman's Relief Association in the No. 1 truck house, Wednesday evening.
—Mr. D. W. C. Butler celebrated his 80th birthday last Monday evening. Many family friends were present and the occasion was a very pleasant one.
—The Rev. Mr. Patrick exchanged last Sunday with Dr. Farnce of the Baptist church in the morning, and with Rev. Mr. Cutler of Auburndale in the evening.
—Mr. J. Frederick Sayer, Jr., the well-known public reader, has many friends and acquaintances here who are congratulating him upon his engagement to Miss Isabelle Randall, Blackton of Cambridge.

—At the meeting of the Lyceum Wednesday evening, Mr. E. R. Blanchard delivered a lecture entitled "A Voyage Around the World 4000 years Ago." An impromptu debate followed, bringing up speakers upon a variety of subjects.
—The City Hall meeting Sunday p. m. the new song entitled "Do you hear the wine-ups clinking," composed by Granville B. Putnam, and set to music by J. E. Trowbridge, will be rendered for the first time by Loyalty quartet.
—"High Tones" are in great favor the present season. One of several given this week by Mrs. Wyman of Temple St. was particularly elegant in its appointments, and some hundred ladies participated in the festivities of the afternoon.

—The many friends of C. A. Potter rejoiced to read of the safe arrival of the Umbria at Liverpool, the 23rd. We understand Mr. Potter has been heard from and reports a quick and pleasant voyage. He has best wishes for a safe return trip.
—At the Congregational church next Sunday will be Foreign Missionary Day. One of the most interesting speakers from the field, Rev. Mr. Guterson from India, will speak both morning and evening, and the annual contribution will be received at the close of each service.
—There are letters at the postoffice for John Allen, W. E. Cotter, Hannah Campbell, J. O. Ellis, Callie Ebaugh, Geo. F. Eaton, Mrs. J. Fahy, Messrs Keane & Co., M. L. Lawton, Nellie Lynch, Geo. W. M. Miss Mary, Helen McDonald, Miss James Morris, Belle McDonald, Miss McGrath, Herbert Mills, Rosa Searle, Richard White.

—The first choral service in the Second Congregational church this season was held Sunday evening. The pastor, Rev. H. J. Patrick, D. D., delivered an interesting address on the "Centennial of Dr. Lowell Mason." The chorus choir, under the direction of Mr. J. E. Frowbridge, rendered an especially prepared musical program which included anthem and quartet responses. Miss Emma Upham sang a soprano solo, "Come Unto Me," with violin obligato by Mr. L. Edward Chase.

—On Tuesday and Wednesday evenings, Feb. 16 and 17, the original Comedy "Amateurs" will be presented in the City Hall for the benefit of the Church of the Messiah under the patronage of Mrs. William Claffin, Mrs. E. B. Haskell, Mrs. W. H. Emery, Mrs. G. L. Lovett, Mrs. Vernon E. Carpenter, Mrs. W. F. Lawrence, Mrs. George Cook, Mrs. E. T. Eldridge, Mrs. H. E. Cobb, Mrs. H. A. Priest, Mrs. F. L. Felton, Mrs. J. B. Chase, Mrs. W. F. Kimball and Mrs. James H. Ellison. The piece is to have a fine stage set with appropriate costumes and a cast which includes some eleven people well known in Amateur theatrical circles in Newton.

—Mrs. A. R. Bailey of Newton tendered a reception to the ladies of the Woman's Educational club last Friday P. M. at her residence on Richardson St. A large number responded to her invitation, and it was an occasion of much enjoyment. They were invited to represent by dress or some design the title of a popular book, forming an "Animated Library," which brought out the very amusing and amusing devices. There were in some instances several volumes of the same edition, in different bindings. Walton's complete Angler was a great loss to the society. He has been connected with it for nearly thirty years. He was always a generous supporter and officiated many years as chairman of the parish committee. Resolutions in his memory will be put on record and sent to the family by a committee raised for that purpose.

—The annual meeting of the Congregational parish was held last Saturday evening. The usual reports were made and the monies appropriated and the officers of the year elected as follows: Moderator, Dea. J. L. Clark; clerk, J. E. Eddy; treasurer, Edward Upham; parish committee, C. M. Whittles, Chas. R. Fisher, Henry B. Day. The treasurer reported a balance of \$110 on hand after disbursements of above \$470. The late death of Dea. Kendall is a great loss to the society. He has been connected with it for nearly thirty years. He was always a generous supporter and officiated many years as chairman of the parish committee. Resolutions in his memory will be put on record and sent to the family by a committee raised for that purpose.

—The Sons and Daughters of Veterans. The Sons and Daughters of Veterans desire all the young people of Newton who are interested in the coming G. A. R. Carnival, to meet in Room 4, Eliot Block, Newton, on Saturday evening, February 6th, at 7.45. Come and bring your friends with you.

—Newton Associated Charities. The meeting of the Visitors and of the Directors last Thursday was largely attended. Every day the great aim of this Society is proved, by the work that is being done in every ward of the city. Just now no employment and sickness among the unfortunate make a great drain upon the resources of the Society. Contributions can be sent to S. R. Urline, Treasurer, Auburndale, or Rev. W. A. Lamb, President, Newton.

—The fifth annual meeting of the Newton C. E. Union will be held next Monday evening, February 8, in the Methodist church, Newtonville, at 7.45 o'clock. An interesting program has been prepared. Prof. Amos R. Wells, managing editor of the Golden Rule, will be present and give an address. Subject: "Something about the Pledge." There will also be a paper on "Our Year's Watchword," by Mrs. Philip Emerson of Waltham. All are cordially invited to attend this meeting.

AUBURNDALE.

—Mr. Enoch Soule is convalescent.
—Farley, pianos, 433 Wash. St. Newton.
—Mrs. Geo. Ordway of Newburyport is in town.
—Prof. J. W. Davis' little daughter Eleanor is ill with scarlet fever.
—Jack Fanning caught twenty-five good-sized pickerel in Weir's cove, last Tuesday.
—Mrs. A. F. Winslow has returned from a trip west to her home, Woodland avenue.
—Mrs. Eben Tourjee of Boston is occupying her newly completed residence on Central street.

—Miss Edna H. Perry, Riverside, is attending Bryant & Stratton's Commercial school, Boston.
—A pleasant gathering took place last evening at the residence of Mr. J. G. Blaisdell, Auburndale street.
—Mr. and Mrs. Edward Anderson had a delightful visit from their old friend, Judge Hopkins, at their home, Riverside, last week.

—Mr. Mrs. and Miss Stanwood of Brunswick, Me., are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Alford C. Woodside, at their home on Auburn street.
—The vesper service at the Methodist church announced for next Sunday, Feb. 7th, is necessarily postponed on account of illness in Prof. Davis' family.
—Christian Endeavor day, Feb. 4, was observed by a union service in the Congregational church, and an address was delivered by Mr. Wells of Boston.
—Rev. Prof. Lorenzo Sears, A. M., of Brown University, lectured at Auburn hall last evening, under the auspices of the Church of the Messiah. Subject, "The Oratory of the Greek Fathers."
—Mr. Rufus Estabrooks of Central street slipped while coming down the steps of his office in Boston, Friday, sustaining a severe fracture just above the knee. Drs. Thayer and Porter set the limb and the patient is gaining.

—Advertised letters at the postoffice: Mrs. Ira E. B. Chas. 2, Miss Mary Broderick, Mrs. Mary Duane, Mr. Hayes, (ice cutter), Katie Haum, A. B. Holmes, L. M. Holbrook, Chas. W. Janvin, Lawrence Mackenzie, Mrs. Clara W. Palmer, A. Petterson, Mr. Richard's job man.
—The death of young Harry Murdoch in Florida on Friday last, has called forth the sympathies of many friends for his sorrow-stricken parents, brother and sister, who had hoped that the change to a milder climate, during the season, might restore him to health.

—Under the auspices of the Latimer Y. P. S. C. E. of the Methodist church, Rev. T. W. Bishop, the pastor, gave a very interesting talk on "St. Peter's at Rome," Wednesday evening, before an audience filling the church. It was illustrated by stereopticon, and was greatly enjoyed by all present.
—The concert in Auburn hall, Monday evening, under the auspices of Riverside Lodge, was most successful. Mr. Gerard Russo, harpist and Mr. Dudley H. Prescott were excellent, and Miss Core's singing and the violin solos by Mr. Kennedy were enthusiastically received. Miss Bagley's readings were good. The lodge netted a good sum for their treasury.

—The services at the Methodist church last Sunday were of unusual interest. In the morning the pastor preached a very impressive sermon from the words "Accquaintance now thyself with God and be at peace, thereby good shall come unto thee." The thoughtful attention paid by the congregation showed in part the good impression made by the preacher. A spirit of earnestness is shown in the work of the church that is most hopeful. In the evening the union service of the Congregational and Latimer societies of Christian Endeavor was held in the Methodist vestry. The seating capacity of the two vestries was fully tested and the meeting one of good interest. It is hoped this will be the beginning of a series of such meetings.

—At half past seven, of the service of the young people, an interesting talk was given by Prof. Bragdon, subject, "A Morning walk to Bethlehem." The address was very interesting, and it is thought the professor will give, from time to time, upon his travels in Palestine. Next Sunday evening the vesper service by the choir and Amphion Male Quartet is to be one of great interest. Several selections of rare excellence will be sung. Prof. Davis has taken great care that this shall be the finest of these services. Friends will do well to come early in order to secure desirable seats.

—Fifty young women went to the Nordica and Sealsch concert in Boston, Jan. 28.
—A party of teachers and pupils attended the Sunday evening meeting Jan. 31, at the M. E. church of South Boston. Mr. Bragdon gave a talk called "A Morning Walk to Bethlehem," illustrated by the blackboard and curiosities from Palestine.
—Feb. 1, Miss Barrows gave economical dishes, pea soup, fish balls and hash, macaroni and cheese, brown bread.

—A party with a teacher visited the Art Club exhibition in Boston, also the Art Museum.
—A few of the Lassell people were at the concert at Auburn Hall, Monday, Feb. 1.
—Miss Ransom, head of the department of physical culture, has returned from a trip to Pennsylvania and New York.

—The law lecture of Miss Mary A. Greene upon Probate Law, Will, Friday evening, Jan. 25, was the last in this year's course.
—Rev. T. W. Bishop led the prayer meeting, Feb. 2, at Lassell, and it was held in the chapel.
—Dr. Latham's lecture in Physiology treated of the alimentary system.
—Prof. Wm. J. Rolfe still continues too ill to meet his Shakespeare class in the present inclement weather.

—A party from Lassell attended the lecture at the M. E. church Wednesday evening, Feb. 3, when Rev. T. W. Bishop spoke upon the subject of St. Peter's church at Rome. Another party went to hear Mr. Wallace Goodrich an organ recital at Newton, where Mr. Goodrich was assisted by Mr. Willis Nowell, who is a teacher at Lassell.

—Rev. Mr. Priest Resigns. At the morning service of St. Paul's Universalist church, last Sunday, the pastor announced his resignation, greatly to the surprise of most of his congregation. Mr. Priest has received an offer from the Universalist church of Newtonville, at a largely increased salary. The parish is large and prosperous and will give him an opportunity for increased work. It is the desire of the Newtonville society that he shall take up his labors with them on the first Sunday in February. Whether that can be arranged or not has not been decided.

—Rev. Mr. Priest came to his present charge in May, 1889, from Monson. He has been a faithful worker in his field, and his society will deeply regret parting with him. Not only will his own society regret his going, but the whole community will be sorry to lose Mr. Priest and his estimable wife. That his labors in his more extended field may be blessed, will be the wish of all. The church meets with the loss of a faithful pastor, and the community the loss of a good citizen.—Adams Enterprise.

NONANTUM.

—Miss Bessie Ellery of Lawrence is visiting friends here.
—The Sons of Temperance are to hold their second anniversary on the 25th inst.
—The Girls' Social Club hold a public entertainment at the lower hall on Monday evening.

—Mrs. H. G. Chapman has been confined to her home for three weeks with gripp but is now convalescing.
—Much interest is manifested in the course of lectures being delivered by Dr. Calkins at the North church.
—Miss S. Bemis lost a valuable horse this week; it was taken sick and before medical aid could be secured it was dead.

—Patrick Lyons of West street died suddenly of pneumonia last Monday. He leaves a widow and six children.
—Information is wanted of James Mitchell, formerly of this village; his wife in Scotland wants to hear from him.

—The Metropolitan sewer is being pushed rapidly across Bridge street. It is expected the street will be clear in another week.
—The Nonantum Worsted Co. have sent about six hundred yards of their best dress goods to Hudson's store, to be closed out at half the regular price.

—The Sons of Temperance surprised Mr. James Brook, P. W. A., at their last meeting by presenting him with a purse of money. Mr. Brook was so overcome that he could hardly reply. Mr. H. G. Dyson made the presentation address and was followed by Mr. G. Hudson, after which an hour was spent in songs, recitations etc.

—The regular meeting was held in Eliot Lower Hall, on Monday, February 1st. Mr. Gilman presented to the Society, specimens of colored sands thrown out during the earthquake in Charleston, S. C. and vicinity.
—Dr. Frisbie gave a very interesting talk on the mound builders, their origin and works.
—The Zuni Indians of Mexico are supposed to be the last remnant of the mound builders.

—Prof. Maynard and Warren also spoke on the same subject.
—Prof. Warren spoke of his summer at New London, N. H., near Lake Sunapee and described the trees, plants and birds of the region.

—Prof. Maynard spoke of the intelligence of animals from the lowest to the highest. Next meeting, Monday, March 7.
—Lectures at Lassell Seminary.
—Miss Annie S. Peck, a graduate of the University of Michigan, later a student in the American school of Archaeology at Athens, and for some time teacher of Latin at Smith College, but for the last five years devoted to lecturing upon classical subjects, will give a course of illustrated lectures on Greek Antiquities at Lassell Seminary, Auburndale, as follows: February 5th, Athens; February 12th, The Acropolis; February 19th, A Trip in the Peloponnese. Lectures at 7.30. Friends invited.

—Overcoatings
at a great reduction in price for heavy weight goods, made to order by J. H. Nickerson, West Newton. This is a chance to secure a well made and handsome overcoat for a low price.

—The Victims Lament.
If your head and back are aching
Quite as much as you desire:
If your body's slowly basking
With a fierce and fitful fire;
If your cough is most distressing,
Spite of all the drugs you sip,
Then I'm surely right in guessing
That you've been
and caught the "Grippe."

—If a prey to melancholy,
And most deeply, daily "blue,"
If you really can't be jolly,
Spite of everything you do;
If you sort of sadly wonder
Why you're left alone in ship,
Then I'm sure I make no blunder
When
I say
you've got
the "Grippe."

—If you've had an invitation
To a most delightful place,
Where you knew the conversation
Would be full of wit and grace;
And 'cause you were not well enough
You had to let it slip,
I guess you'd think it "pretty rough"
To have
the "Grippe."

—If you're a power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by George T. Hall to George C. Hall dated July 1st, 1889, and recorded in the Registry of Deeds for the County of Middlesex South District lot 1087, folio 600, will be sold at public auction, for breach of condition on the premises on
Monday the twenty-ninth day of February 1892
at four o'clock, in the afternoon, all and singular the premises conveyed by said mortgage deed, namely:—all that lot of land in that part of Newton in said County called Newton Centre, containing sixty eight thousand eight hundred and ninety five feet or more or less and bounded and described as follows to wit: beginning on the southwesterly side of a road known as Homer street at stake and stones directly on the Boston aqueduct and running S 78 1/2 degrees W over the middle of the same three hundred and ninety five feet to a bound on the same direction Fifty two feet to an angle thence N 15 1/2 degrees E two hundred seven feet and a half feet to said Homer street; thence S 78 1/2 degrees E by land now of Francis Fitz formerly of John Ashton thence N 14 degrees E twenty two feet thence in the same direction Fifty two feet to an angle thence N 15 1/2 degrees E two hundred seven feet and a half feet to said Homer street; thence S 78 1/2 degrees E by land now of Francis Fitz formerly of John Ashton; thence S 70 1/2 degrees E forty two feet; thence S 58 1/2 degrees E fifty seven feet thence S 49 1/2 degrees E thirty five feet thence S 45 degrees E ninety three feet; thence S 42 degrees E one hundred and fifty feet; thence S 41 degrees E twenty two feet and one half to the point of beginning; thence six last named lines or courses being by said Homer street. Subject to the rights of the City of Boston and any unpaid taxes.
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Curious Tomb of a Kentuckian. Several weeks ago Mr. James Golden, a well known lumber dealer of Hickman, Ky., died there and was buried with a strict conformity with the provisions of a remarkable will. He had while in health a strong fear of being buried alive, fostered probably by reading accounts of the few cases of this kind that are known to have occurred, and he determined to take no chances in that line that could possibly be avoided. He caused a tomb to be erected, and in that tomb had an opening left on the east side large enough for a man to pass through. This was covered with glass. In his will he stipulated that a strong hammer should be placed in the coffin with him, and that the lid of the coffin should not be screwed down, so that if by chance he should be consigned to the tomb before his life was extinct he might, if he gained power to move, push off the lid and with the hammer break out the glass in the opening left for the purpose and thus escape a lingering, horrible death. His instructions were faithfully obeyed. Friends took it upon themselves to watch the tomb and be near in case the gentleman's fears should prove well founded and render him assistance. But death came with an unerring shot, and he still slumbers peacefully in his casket.—Columbus (Ky.) Forum.

Two Queer Names. When a petition for a new postoffice in the mountains of Virginia was received some weeks ago it was found that the name submitted was undesirable. The petitioners were so notified and requested to submit a list of names in order of preference. The new list contained no names acceptable, and the assistant postmaster general directed an under official to select a name himself. The clerk immediately walked to the map and, locating the office, discovered that there was a mountain hard by named Purgatory, and the new postoffice was given the name of Purgatory. When the establishing papers were forwarded to the petitioners, and they were requested to submit a name for postmaster, they returned the name of George Godbether. So that the new postoffice of Purgatory is presided over by George Godbether.—Baltimore American.

A Jury with Hard Sense. From a town almost near enough to Philadelphia to be called a suburb came a story of unique dispensation of justice by a jury from around about the vicinity. The case was one in which the prosecution was brought by a young woman against a young man. The eloquent pleading of the lawyer for the fair one, the jury rendered a verdict of acquittal, and then proceeded to assess the defendant a fourth of the costs, the prosecutor a fourth, the constable who arrested the prisoner a fourth, and the justice of the peace who sent the case to court a fourth. The judge remarked that that wasn't much of a jury for law, but it was strong in the way of common sense.—Philadelphia Record.

The Phonograph and the Dumb. Recent tests in the use of the phonograph in the deaf and dumb institute at Indianapolis show that it is useful in concentrating sound upon the drum of the ear, so that many pupils otherwise deaf can hear it. It is thought by the superintendent that it can be by this means soon teach the use of their voices to many mutes whose inability to speak is due to the fact that they have never heard speech.—Exchange.

Dom Pedro's Garter. Dom Pedro was a Knight of the Garter, having been invested by the queen during his visit to Europe in 1871. His death did not create a vacancy in the order, as, like other royal personages, he was an extra knight. It is probable that the Comte d'Eu will come to England in a few weeks in order that he may personally deliver up his father-in-law's insignia to the queen.—London World.

Boarding Lunatics Out. An experiment is about to be tried in France where 100 lunatics will shortly be sent to the Department of the Cher and placed in the houses of farmers and other people who are willing to take care of them.—Galignani Messenger.

A whale recently captured in arctic waters was found to have imbedded in its side a harpoon that belonged to a whaling vessel that had been out of service nearly half a century.

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The object of the book is to develop the meaning of that quality peculiar to Greek art, which adapts itself to all successive ages, a certain largeness and universality which the writer calls Ideality.	
Hellyer, S. S. Principles and Practice of Plumbing.	101.586
Higginson, T. W. The New World and the New Book; an Address delivered before the Nineteenth Century Club of New York City, Jan. 15, 1891; with Kindred Essays.	54.685
Hunt, T. S. Chemical and Geological Essays.	63.913
Johnson, C. F. English Words; an Elementary Study of Derivations. Written primarily for use as a text-book in high schools and colleges. The writer's object is to call attention to the literary values of words as far as can be done in a brief examination of derivations.	104.434
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NEWTON CENTRE.

—Mr. George Frost's father of Pleasant street is seriously ill.
—Mr. and Mrs. Noah B. King of Brookline St. are convalescent.
—Mrs. Lawrence Mayo of Homer street is at Saratoga Springs, N. Y.
—Prof. Ernest D. Burton has returned from a trip to New York city.
—Mr. Eugene Pratt of Warren has been in town this week visiting his friends.
—Miss Mary Preble, the artist, is visiting Mrs. Andrew F. Leatherbee of Beacon street.
—Mr. Daniel W. Furdon reports finding \$300 on the street and is holding it for an owner.
—Miss Elizabeth Lawrence of Beacon street has been visiting friends in Northampton.
—Miss Maude Crane of Dedham St. has been entertaining a friend, Miss Hobart of Quincy.
—Mrs. Lewis R. Speare left on Tuesday on a Raymond excursion for Mexico and California.
—Mr. Stone of Dedham St., who received a painful injury to his foot recently is able to be about.
—Mr. William Stearns, Parker St., is able to attend to his business, after a month's illness.
—This village was represented at the dance given by the 2d Regiment Canton in Boston Friday evening.
—Miss Clara Stearns of Bellerica, who has been visiting at Mr. James S. Carey's Dedham St., has returned home.
—Mr. John Ragon reports finding a pocket book with two dollars and some cents and returning it to its owner, a Waltham lady.
—Mr. Charles E. Dudley, the veteran carriage driver, has returned from Worcester, where he has been staying since his sad affliction.
—Mrs. Bowen of Sumner street was run into by a runaway team on Monday evening and thrown down, but fortunately not seriously hurt.
—Col. Edward H. Haskell delivered an interesting address in the Baptist vestry on the history of newspapers in the United States, last evening.
—The grocery and provisions stores, commencing this evening, will close every night in the week with the exception of Saturday at six o'clock.
—Miss Claire B. Hassler of Lake avenue gave an angling party on Wednesday evening, it being her birthday. About thirty-five friends were present.
—The Newton Centre Mutual Association held their first ball Thursday evening, Feb. 18, in Associates Hall. Allen's orchestra of Natick will furnish music.

—Mr. and Mrs. William Byers of Moreland avenue, who are visiting friends in New York, will receive congratulations from many friends here at home. It is a boy.
—Mr. Geo. S. Rice, the chief engineer of the Boston Rapid Transit Commission, has moved into W. H. Ireland house on Ward street, which he purchased recently.
—The letters awaiting claimants at the postoffice are for: Mr. R. W. Bush, Mr. James Collins, to Mr. Ellbury, Miss Kate Davenport, Mrs. Ellen Fuller, Eustace C. Fitz, Mrs. Emma Parker.
—Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kaiser, Parker St. entertained a whist party Monday evening. An enjoyable evening was spent. Mr. Fred Eddy and Miss Florence Kaiser capturing the nooby prizes.
—A large force of men were set at work Monday morning cutting Crystal Lake ice and storing it in the ice houses of George H. Ellis. Quite a large amount was stored the first two days of the week.

—At the Amherst Alumni Association, at Young's, last Monday evening were present from our village, Rev. Mr. Cobb, Mr. Samuel Ward and Mr. D. S. Farnham and J. M. W. Farnham, father and son alumni of the same college. Pres. Gates represented the college and made a very pleasant address. Dr. Harris of Andover presided.
—At the Methodist church next Sunday morning the subject of the pastor's discourse will be, "Home, the Holy Communion, and Lessons from his life." Following this will be the Holy Communion. In the evening the fourth lecture on the Lord's Prayer will be given. Subject, "Give us this day our daily bread." Services will commence at 7 o'clock. Seats free. A cordial welcome to all.

—A most enjoyable dancing party was given by the Centre Club to its members and friends at Associates Hall on Thursday. A promenade concert preceded the dancing the orchestra playing several selections. Miss Bassett sang three songs in a most acceptable manner and the two numbers by the male quartet were finely rendered. Much credit is due the committee who managed the dance, and it is expected that the club may give another one later in the season.
—The flags and costumes of many nations will be illustrated by the children of the Wide Awake Mission in the first church, Thursday evening, Feb. 11, at 7:30. There will be a "Home, the Holy Communion, and Lessons from his life." Following this will be the Holy Communion. In the evening the fourth lecture on the Lord's Prayer will be given. Subject, "Give us this day our daily bread." Services will commence at 7 o'clock. Seats free. A cordial welcome to all.

—A new society has just made its appearance in Newton Centre under the name of the Newton Centre Mutual Association. At its last meeting, the following officers were elected: President, Thomas U. Mullen; vice-president, Henry McGrady, Sr.; Secretary, Dennis P. Flanagan; treasurer, Dennis J. Linnehan. The association will hold its first social Thursday evening, Feb. 18, 1892, and will spare no time and expense to make it a grand success. The music will be furnished by Knowlton & Allen's orchestra of Natick. Two prizes have been offered for the parties selling the most tickets. A solid gold ring and a gold headed umbrella. Tickets \$1.00, admitting gentleman and lady.
—Miss Sparhawk writes that Mrs. Quinton will not be able to come to Newton Centre, Feb. 8, as has been announced. She has been compelled to cancel for the present all her engagements to speak. The long and severe strain of the journey through the reservations with the accompanying labor, and the general work of the Association added to this, without any relaxation, has been too much for her. She has been ordered to take an absolute rest. After this she hopes to take up her work again, and that she will be able to come to Newton Centre later. The need for vigilance in regard to Indian affairs has never been greater than it is now, when, in the face of great success wherever education has been begun for the Indians, Congress proposes to cut down appropriations for Indian education under the plea of economy. How long has it been "economy"

to keep people in ignorance and feed them, instead of making them self-supporting, and in this way adding to the resources of the country?

NEWTON HIGHLANDS.

—Mrs. Gilbert is improving in health.
—The Monday Club meets with Mrs. Nickerson.
—Mrs. Chick is seriously ill at the home of her daughter, Mrs. E. Moulton.
—The West End Literary Club will meet next Thursday with Miss Manson.
—Mr. C. E. Rand, Clark street, is confined to the house with the grippe.
—The Chautauqua Circle met Monday with Miss Webster on Chester street.
—Mr. Samuel Tyler, who has been at home ill several days from Yale college, is improving.
—The Highland Club Dramatic Talent are rehearsing a play to be given early in March. Full particulars later.
—Mr. S. C. Cobb has met with a severe loss by the burning of his office, ice and fish houses at Pensacola, Florida, one day this week.
—Mrs. Wm. Hyde was in Boston Tuesday and while crossing Temple Place, slipped and fell, bruising her face badly, but is now on the mend.
—Mrs. Whight, mother of Mr. Richard Whight, who was taken suddenly while visiting friends at Needham, was able to return home Wednesday.
—The Ladies' Aid in connection with the Unitarian Society are to have a social at the residence of Mrs. Kendrick on Walnut street, this Friday evening, Feb. 5th.
—Mrs. C. Peter Clark, who has been visiting Mrs. Colver several weeks, played the prizes and decorations all being yellow. A yellow lunch concluded the festivities.
—The Society of Christian Endeavor observed the eleventh anniversary of the formation of the order at the chapel on Tuesday evening. Addresses by Mr. H. E. W. Chatter of Boston.
—The vesper service at the Congregational church Sunday evening was a service to be remembered. The effective rendering of the musical selections by the male quartet was very helpful.
—Mrs. O'Connor has been at Dorchester several weeks visiting her father, Mr. Swan, who is ill. Miss Bertha O'Connor is at home from the Norman school at Framingham for a two weeks vacation.
—The ladies of the Highland Club spent a yellow afternoon last Tuesday at the Clubhouse. Progressive whist was played, the prizes and decorations all being yellow. A yellow lunch concluded the festivities.
—The annual ball of the Odd Fellows took place on Wednesday night at Lincoln hall, and was attended by a large and brilliant company from the Newtons and adjoining towns. Supper was served at midnight and all had a merry time.
—The regular monthly meeting of the M. E. Ladies' Society was held Wednesday afternoon, followed by a George Washington Sociable in the evening. The ladies dressing in the olden styles. Revolving songs were sung and appropriate selections and charades were given.
—Ladies of this place have interested themselves for the past two years in foreign missionary work among the Italians in Boston. Last Sunday a gratifying result of that work was experienced. Twenty Italians were baptized by Rev. Geo. Gordon of the New Old South church.
—The severe storm of Tuesday night did not prevent the successful observance of the 5th annual supper of the Choir Guild of St. Paul's parish. Some eighty persons assembled in Stevens Hall, where a beautiful supper was served by the ladies, followed by brief speeches and music. It was very successful.
—M. E. services at 10:45 next Sunday morning. Preaching by the pastor, Mr. Chadbourne, on the subject, "Christian Manhood." In the evening a Temperance Concert will be held, including an address by Rev. Alfred Noon, secretary of the Massachusetts Total Abstinence Society. All cordially invited to attend.
—The ladies of the Highland Club enjoyed a drive whist party, Tuesday afternoon, Feb. 2nd. There were ten tables. The prizes were very dainty affairs, made by members of the committee, of yellow silk and satin. The table decorations were of the same color and set off the tempting viands most effectively. These parties are thoroughly enjoyed by all who participate in them.
—The Sewing Society met at the Congregational chapel on Wednesday. The work was for the Tuskegee Normal school in Alabama. The papers prepared by the ladies of this society are justly famous. The entertainment was varied and delightful. Musical numbers were rendered by Miss Bailey of Somerville, Mr. H. Ayres, Miss Manson, Miss Hardwick and by Mr. F. R. Hayward. The effective drawing was a specially noted feature of the entertainment.
—The entertainment to be given at Lincoln Hall, Feb. 16, for the benefit of the G. A. R. Memorial fund for Charles Ward Post 62, promises to be one of the most interesting ever given here. The "Rangers of the Forest" a Gypsy production introducing many gorgeous costumes, designed by Miss Eva Holt, and the popular "Tamborine dance" will be attractive features. A quartet, reader selections during the evening. The entertainment will close with a very impressive tableau. "Gates Ajar."

—The "Smoke Talk" at the Highland Club, last Saturday night, by Hon. Fred M. Dey was one of the most interesting entertainments yet given by this enterprising and go-ahead club. Mr. Dey has spent considerable time in Mexico, is thoroughly posted on his subject and a very interesting and pleasing speaker. The next talk comes this week, Saturday, by the same gentleman on "Home Life and Amusements" in Mexico, this talk will not be illustrated by the stereopticon as was last, but will be fully as interesting.

NEWTON UPPER FALLS.

—Mrs. John A. Gould is quite ill at her house on Rockland place.
—Mr. H. A. Sherman, Jr., purchased a sleigh Tuesday of Mr. Charles A. Miner.
—The mail carrier is making regular trips to the Upper Falls station once more.
—The Young Men's Association gave a party this Friday evening at Prospect Hall.
—A number of the storekeepers are bemoaning the removal of a former influential citizen of the community.
—Several new silk dresses went to work Wednesday morning for Phinps & Train, and the firm is now running on regular time.
—Mr. James H. Barnard of Rockland Place has taken a position in the tool room of the Gamewell Fire Alarm Telegraph Co. shop.
—Miss E. Crocker, one of the most popular teachers at Prospect school, has the sympathy of friends in the burial of her mother recently.
—Mr. Charles Cooper, father of Edwin Cooper of Cooper & Dyson, returned on the Cephalonia this week from England, where he has been visiting.
—The school time has been changed in the fourth and fifth classes, school closing at 11:45 instead of 11:30 at noon and at 3:30 instead of 4 in the afternoon.
—The eighth and ninth classes of the Prospect school resumed work Monday

morning. The classes were closed all last week owing to the illness of Prof. Hussey.
—The closing of the silk mill for the past few weeks has had rather a depressing effect upon the local business interests, but with their mill once more running the prospect for a better outlook is promising.
—D. D. Grand Regent Boyden and suite of Worcester installed the officers of Echo Bridge Council, Royal Arcanum, Wednesday evening. A large attendance was present and the members were enthusiastic at the prosperous condition of the order; one application for membership was received and arrangements were made for a series of socials during the remaining winter months.
—The Clover Club composed of young ladies gave their first Leap Year party on Tuesday evening at the residence of Miss Edith Newell on High street. There were eight of the charming club members in attendance with friends and the evening was spent in an enjoyable manner socially and in playing whist, parchesi and other games. Dainty refreshments were served during the evening and the club are well pleased with the success of their first party.
—The Gamewell boys bowled in hard luck last week and their defeat was quite a disappointment. It was their first defeat and they feel it keenly but it should not dishearten them. There is good material there and the team average is way ahead of the Independents. The Gamewell have rolled five matches and have a team average per man of 164.2. The Independents have rolled four games with an average of 161.2. The married men with 162.2 are next to the Gamewell. Team 4 has 159.2 and team 5 has 142.5.

—The article in the GRAPHIC advocating the idea of a public reading room seems to be favorably thought of by some, providing, they say, a reading room could be conducted in an orderly and systematic way. It has been suggested that a branch of the Y. M. C. A. might be established with beneficial results and in connection with which a reading room could be opened. This suggestion is a good one and would place the reading room in charge of competent persons. The very nature of a reading room is a protest against disorder or the admittance of improper persons. A reading room must have rules and regulations which will protect those who enjoy its privileges from annoyances, and it would be inclined to disrespect the rules of such a place if the room was in charge of competent and able persons.

NEWTON LOWER FALLS.

—The storm of Wednesday caused the breaking of several telephone wires in this vicinity.
—The Bullard house, which has been advertised largely of late, is now rented to a family of Danes.
—Miss Carrie Pulsifer will soon go to Milwaukee, Wis., where she has been engaged as teacher in a school.
—Rev. Dr. J. H. Twombly of this village will preach next Sunday afternoon in the hall at Waban, at 3:30 o'clock.
—Mr. Sumner Shattuck, foreman of Crehore's paper mills, has returned to work, after being absent a week with the grippe.
—Miller & Grant have cut a large quantity of ice during the past ten days. Another lot is being cut and the delicacy in the thickness of the present crop.
—A chain which supported a heavy calendar broke at Bishop's mill, Tuesday, when the roll was being lowered. The calendar weighed over a ton and caused some damage.
—The last lecture in the popular lecture course at Lower Falls will be given in the M. E. church next Monday evening, Feb. 8, by Rev. Dr. Emory J. Haynes of Boston, on "Pictures from Life," and a large attendance is assured.
—A New Hampshire firm is setting up about \$9000 worth of paper machinery at the Bishop mill. Other improvements are being made and it is thought the mills will soon be running steadily, giving permanent employment to their help.
—A fire started in the picker house of the Dudley mills, Wednesday afternoon, which was considerably smothered. The fire is supposed to have started from a piece of steel going through the picker. The fire was extinguished by hand grenades with slight damage.

WABAN.

—Calico Party next Saturday night in the hall.
—Rev. Twombly of Lower Falls will preach here Sunday.
—Robert Dresser has been suffering with a bad cold since Monday.
—Whist Club meets Monday and Literary on Friday next with Mrs. Gould.
—Miss Lillie Collins has returned home from Vermont, where she had charge of a school.
—The postponed meeting of the new Whist Club will be held next Monday with Mrs. Henshaw.

ELIOT.

—Mrs. Horace F. Hill returned this week from New York, where she has been visiting.
—Mr. G. F. Higgins has commenced the foundations for the erection of a house for himself on Clinton avenue.
—The lamp post on Meredith avenue came very near forsaking its accustomed stand a few days since, but for the presence of mind of the mail carrier from Upper Falls, a loss which can be appreciated by residents of the "little city," who have no more street light now than is necessary.

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The Railroad so long talked of, to connect the Woonsocket Division from Cook St. Newton Highlands, to the main line of the N. Y. & N. E. R. R. at Dorchester, thereby forming the shortest route from Boston to New York, is soon to become a reality. The proposed line has been resurveyed within a few weeks, and the grade stakes set. The new line will be seven miles in length. Starting from the Woonsocket Division, near Cook St., it will cross Walnut St., near its junction with Boylston and Parker Sts., southerly from Boylston and Brookline Sts., northerly from Vine St., thence into Brookline. There will be no grade crossings and this will necessitate several bridges. One bridge two thousand feet long will be required to span the Boston and Providence R. R. at Forest Hills, and will be the largest structure of its kind in the United States. Stations will be built at both Dudley and Parker Sts. The corporation is composed of many well known business men, and Frederick O. Prince, of Boston, is President. It is contemplated to lease the road when completed to the New York and New England road.

Several estates on the line have already been procured for future improvement, and a still greater boom in real estate is anticipated. Oak Hill with its beautiful and varied landscape of hills and dallas, is very desirable for suburban residences, and with easy access to Boston, it may soon rival its sister villages.

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—Ivers & Pond Pianos, Farley, Newton.

—Mrs. John Barnes of Maple street, is

seriously ill with la grippe.

—Mr. E. D. Baldwin has removed from

Tremont street to Walnut Park.

—Thomas Dalby of Morse street, is regis-

tered at the Palace Hotel, San Francisco,

Cal.

—Mr. R. F. Donovan of Lowell has been

the guest this week of Dr. T. F. Carroll of

this city.

—Miss Manie Solis of Waban Park, has

returned from a visit to relatives in New

York City.

—The next choral service at the Eliot

Church will be given on Sunday evening,

February 28.

—A horse owned by C. W. Bunting broke

its leg on Channing street, last evening,

and had to be killed.

—Miss Sallie G. Weeden of Newbury-

port, a niece of the poet Whittier, is visit-

ing friends in this city.

—Meeting of the Woman's Christian

Temperance Union at Y. M. C. A. rooms,

Monday, Feb. 15, at 3 o'clock.

—The Banquet Whist Club met with Mr.

Henry Haaker at his residence in Cam-

bridge last Saturday evening.

—Middlesex Court, No. 60, M. C. O. F.,

will hold its fourth annual ball in Armory

Hall, Wednesday evening, Feb. 24th.

—Mr. Harry A. Flint, who has been

away on a business trip through the New

England States, is expected home today.

—Rev. A. B. Earle is improving slowly

and his ultimate restoration to health is

apparently a prospect of the near future.

—Mr. W. A. Day, who has been occupy-

ing one of Mr. D. R. Emerson's houses on

Pearl street, will remove to Boston next

week.

—A Dark Secret comes to Park Theatre,

Waltham, Thursday evening, February 18.

Stage is flooded with over 50,000 cubic feet

of water.

—Mr. George Snyder will entertain a

party of his Newton friends, at his resi-

dence, 122 St. Botolph street, Boston, this

evening.

—The Hillside Club met at the residence

of Mr. Frederic Grant, Monday evening.

There were some very amusing games, but

no formal program.

—In the spring work will probably be

commenced on the parochial school build-

ing in connection with the parish of the

Church of Our Lady.

—Mr. and Mrs. G. Fred Simpson of

Washington street, are among the Ram-

mond vacation excursionists who started

for California yesterday.

—The Newton C. E. Union at its meet-

ing Monday evening, elected Mr. H. M. Green-

ough president, and Mr. Jones of Newton

Highlands, vice-president.

—The Social Science Club will meet at

Mrs. Hammett's, Sargent street, Wednes-

day, Feb. 17, at 10 A. M. Subject, Kindergarten

Work. Invite a guest.

—The ladies of Wards one and seven,

working for the G. A. R. Carnival, will

meet Tuesday morning, February 16, at

nine o'clock, at the Baptist church.

—The fair in behalf of the Soldier's

Home in Chelsea, in which many Newton

ladies are interested, was formally opened

this week by Gov. Russell and promises to

be very successful.

—The night service at the Newton Central

telephone office has been exceptionally

good to date. An accommodating and

agreeable operator is a blessing not vouch-

sured to all mortals.

—Mr. W. A. Wetherbee of Chas. Ward

Post 62, had 343 votes for junior vice com-

mander of the G. A. R., a long lead over

any of the other candidates and he was

elected to that important position.

—John Calvin in his youth and prepara-

tion for his "The Christian Faith at Home

and Abroad." The choir of men and boys

will sing at the morning and night ser-

vices. The ladies of the parish provide

luncheon and refreshments for the clergy

and delegates in the parish house in the

intervals. The seats in the church and

chapel are all free at the services in the

morning and night, and in the chapel in

the afternoon.

—Mr. James W. French and Mr. J. Wiley

Edwards have been elected resident mem-

bers of the Boston Real Estate Exchange.

As soon as the membership reaches 120, an

admission fee of \$100 will be imposed.

—The Rev. Minot J. Savage will address

the Unitarian Club at Channing church on

Feb. 18th, at 7.30 o'clock, on the subject,

"The Layman and the Church." The

public are cordially invited to be present.

—Dr. T. F. Carroll won first prize at the

meeting of the Trinity Club Wednesday

evening and is now the possessor of a

handsome silver-tipped leather card case, a

pretty and useful memento of the occasion.

—At the service in Grace church on the

coming Sunday night, Feb. 14th, in addi-

tion to other interesting numbers, it is

probable that some of the pieces to be

rendered at the next choir festival will be

sung.

—The Y. M. C. A. entertainments are

growing in public favor. The fifth of the

series will be given in Eliot Hall on Mon-

day evening, Feb. 15, at 8 o'clock. The

Orchestra and Guitars Club. A plan of the

hall can be seen in Barber Bros. store.

—Will the ladies of Ward One and Seven

please send in all contributions, for the

tables of the G. A. R. carnival, by Wednes-

day, February 17, to Mrs. Andrew S. Marsh,

226 Park street, Newton or to the vice

presidents.

—Ex-Commander S. S. Whitney of

Chas. Ward Post has charge of the paper

to be issued under the auspices of the G. A.

R. committee. Typographically, it will be

neat and attractive and its contents

will prove of interest. Mr. F. W. Walker

has charge of the advertising department.

—While at work on the Clinton street

sewer, Tuesday afternoon, two Italian

laborers were injured by the debris from

houses in Boston. The course closes Feb.

24th with Prof. Kelly's "Art Tableau,"

said to be one of the finest entertainments

of the season. Mr. H. M. Greenough of

this city has consented to read for that

evening "A Story of the Sea."

—Capt. S. L. Powers of the Newton

Club's "Big Five" bowling team, is an en-

thusiastic lover of the sport and has been

one of numerous gentlemen to promote the

interests of the game. The plan of sup-

plementary games between teams made up

of members of clubs represented in the

state league originated with Mr. Powers

and promises to be a success. The Newton

Club's second team is a "daisy."

February can boast of the severest

snow storm of the season, which began

Thursday morning and continued all day

without intermission. Nearly a foot of

snow fell and it was so heavy

that the electric cars could not run. The

trees and shrubs presented a beautiful

sight with their fleecy covering, which

hung down every branch and did some

damage to tender shrubs and trees.

James Murray, a carpenter, died at the

Cottage Hospital Tuesday. His case was a

peculiar one. In a skylark, it is said, with

some companions he received a knife

wound in the lower arm which at first ap-

peared of trifling character. The wound

became very painful and the arm so swollen

that the deceased was admitted to the

hospital for treatment. Subsequently, an

artery broke in the arm-pit and caused

death.

—Miss Nellie Ticehurst of this city, and

Mr. Charles Preston of Portsmouth, N. H.,

were married Monday evening at the resi-

dence of Rev. Dr. Walcott Calkins. After

the ceremony a reception for the family

was held at the residence of Mrs. Stephens,

Morse street, and Mr. Preston re-

ceived with Miss Maggie Smith and Mr.

Frank Seaward who were respectively

maid of honor and best man at the nup-

tials. The couple will hold their first "at

home" reception on February 22.

—Society in Manchester and Concord, N.

H., is stirred over the announcement of the

engagement of Dr. J. Francis Bothfield of

Concord, formerly of Newton, to Miss

Jennie Patterson Smith of Manchester,

daughter of Judge Smith of the N. H.

Supreme Court. Both are prominent in

New Hampshire social circles. Dr. Both-

BEAUTIFUL COSTUMES.

THE CHILDREN'S PARTY—RELATIVES AND FRIENDS DELIGHTED.

A large number of ladies and gentlemen gathered at the Woodland Park Hotel, Abundantale, on Tuesday evening, to enjoy and participate in one of the prettiest parties that has brightened this famous hotel during the present season.

The occasion was a private costume party given under the management of Prof. H. E. Munroe, by his pupils, and it proved to be one of the most successful parties of this nature that has taken place in the city.

The children had been on the "qui vive" ever since it first became known, and they have been looking forward with much anticipation to the important event.

The Woodland Park was modestly decorated for the occasion by palms and potted plants tastefully arranged in the corridors, and the main dining salon was used as the scene of the festivities.

The matrons for the evening were Mrs. A. B. Wyman, Mrs. F. J. Wetherell, Mrs. W. G. Monk and Mrs. J. M. Brown, and their duties were made very pleasurable by the happiness of the children in their party.

The music was furnished by Baker's orchestra, Miss Jennie K. Adams, pianist, and at 7:30 o'clock the grand march was begun, led by Little Miss Muffet and her Cavalier, or Miss Edna Johnson and Master Frank Wyman, who are more familiarly known.

Miss Johnson was certainly as effective in this character as Little Miss Muffet herself ever could have been, and Master Wyman as the Cavalier was as dignified a little 16th century gentleman as one of his diminutive statue and curly head could well be.

The bright colors of the many costumes blending in pretty confusion as the children danced, made a scene of picturesque beauty and one could almost imagine it a real assemblage of notable queens, princesses, princes, George Washingtons, Little Lord Fauntleroy, Kate Greenaways, Cavaliers, Japanese princesses and fairies, with the humbler gypsies, Spanish boys, flower girls, sailor boys, rainbows, roses, and old fashioned girls.

One of the features of the evening was the dancing of the "Sailor's hornpipe" by Miss Maud Munroe, who received great applause. Later in the evening that most graceful of old time dances, the minuet, was danced by Misses Maud Munroe and Mildred Monk in a most pleasing manner.

The dancing was continued until 9:30 o'clock, at which time each little gentleman escorted his lady to the supper room in one of the front parlors.

Prof. Munroe is to be warmly congratulated upon the success of the affair and the children show thorough and careful training both in the different steps and movements and in deportment.

The children who participated were as follows: Edna Johnson, Little Miss Muffet; Frank Wyman, Cavalier; Ethel Johnson, Ice Queen; Marion Baker, Gypsy; Genevieve Lee, Flower Girl; Howard Lee, Japanese Prince; Tessie Lee, Indian Princess; Leon Hackett, Prince Arthur; Lulu Knapp, Rainbow; Mildred Monk, Spanish Girl; Helen Stewart, Kate Greenaway; Emily Lindsey, Gypsy; Lenox Lindsey, Tennis; Nannie Hardy, Old Fashioned Girl; Gordon Marble, George Washington; Harry Johnson, Continental Suit; Edith Shattuck, Sleigh bells; Edna Shattuck, Queen of Roses; Grace Marchesault, Evening Bells; Starback Sprague, Little Lord Fauntleroy; Mamie Hale, Summer; Grace Harrington, Neapolitan Girl; Helen Turner, Flower Girl; Fred White, Spanish Boy; Percy Bird, Evening dress; Maud Munroe, Spanish Girl; Josephine Sherwood, Night; Cecile Roberts, Butterfly; Percy Brown, Rob-Roy; John Davis, Prince; Alice Clark, Fairy; Mabel Curtis, Grace Curtis, Fairies; Lulu Davis, Princess Louise; Lorena Bigelow, Shepherdess; Lillian Gould, Flower Girl; Harold Taylor, Sailor Boy; Porter Brown, Neapolitan Prince; Fred Brown, Prince; Willie Gould, Prince; Harry Hyde, Prince; Genevieve Sprague, A Rose; Kattie Walter, Eddie Pinkham, Willie Leggett, Harry Porter, Charlie Miller, Evening dress; Alonzo Price, Sailor; Uniforth Cousins, Turkey Clasp; Sautard.

After the children's party was concluded a social dance in which many prominent people participated, was enjoyed, until one o'clock.

The ushers were, Mr. Chas. Sprague, Mr. William Hinman, Mr. W. F. Chandler, Mr. T. E. Manie.

During the evening refreshments were served in the blue parlor which had been arranged in a tasteful manner for this purpose.

Among the ladies and gentlemen were noticed: Alderman and Mrs. Charles H. Sprague, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas J. Marble, Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Chandler, Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Monk, Mr. and Mrs. Brown, ex-Alderman and Mrs. Frederick Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Bridgman, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Hinman, Mrs. H. A. Priest, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis, Mr. and Mrs. Roberts, Mrs. A. B. Wyman, Mr. and Mrs. English, Miss Emery, Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Hackett, Mrs. William Plummer, Mr. George, Mr. F. M. Whipple, Miss Lewis, Miss Fuller, Councilman and Mrs. C. W. Knapp, Mr. and Mrs. H. N. Baker, Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Lindsey, Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Cook, Misses Lyons, Mr. J. N. Brewer, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Kingsbury, Mr. and Mrs. Henry B. Turner.

Of the world widely. "There go the Spicer Wilcozes, Mamma! I'm told they're dying to know us. Hadn't we better call?"

"Certainly not, dear. If they're dying to know us they're not worth knowing. The only people worth our knowing are the people who don't want to know us?"—Punch.

Doctor. "Um! No wonder you are drifting into consumption, when you haven't taken off your summer underwear. Why don't you get some heavy flannels for winter?"

Patient. "Well, doctor, since I have been calling on you I can't afford anything extra."—Clothing and Furnisher.

"I am a Prohibitionist," said Jones, "because I believe a man should show a good public example, no matter what he may do at home."

"And I take my drink outside," said Smith, "because I believe a man should show a good example at home, no matter what he may do when away from it."—Exchange.

After the Grip.

And after typhoid fever, diphtheria, pneumonia, or other prostrating disease, Hood's Sarsaparilla is just what is needed to restore the strength and vigor so much desired, and to expel all poison from the blood. It has had wonderful success in many such cases.

The Free Pass Question.

Senator Gilman appeared before the judiciary committee at the hearing on free passes and said that any mileage paid in lieu of free passes was a cheap investment. The pass system is demoralizing. He accused no one and was no better than any one else. But certain considerations go with free passes and it is improper for legislators to receive them. The member who received 150 passes at one time could not be an impartial legislator. Now Massachusetts says to her representatives, "I can afford to give you \$750 for your services and you must get your transportation where you can." The railroads which are connected with the state, come in and say, "The state is niggardly with you in matter of compensation and we will come in and help you with your transportation." Mr. Gilman said two senators this year have told him that the greatest annoyance they have is from people who ask for passes. It is the fact that politicians who are indebted for aid can help discharge their political debts by getting passes for their friends. There ought to be an alliance between the legislature and the railroads. Members who travel a long distance ought to have more pay than those who are near. Last year a railroad man said he opposed the bill then because the railroads preferred to issue passes themselves. On the other hand the late Mr. Furber, who strongly opposed to the pass system. He believed the state should pay the members a sufficient return for their services and let them pay their own expenses. He quoted Josiah Quincy as the author of a bill last year to abolish passes. The present bill embodies the best practical way of meeting the evil.

To Mr. Buckley, Mr. Gilman said he thought the distant members ought to have more compensation than those who live near. The pass system is full of inequalities. The railroad committee is no more entitled to annual passes than the finance committee which probably works more hours, yet it gets them. The press of the state is generally hostile to the free pass. It is beneath the dignity of men who represent the state to enter into partnership with the roads for their transportation. In the case of newspapers and business men, who render aid and help in various ways, he said in reply to Mr. Bartlett of Lowell, and he had no criticisms to make upon them.

Mr. Rideout said he should hate to be a railroad corporation and depend for favors upon the influences of the passes which have been distributed. Representative Lawrence of Medford, believed this was a sentimental matter rather than one of practical consequence. The favor is extended to all alike, and he did not believe that any members were ever influenced by the issue of passes. This closed the hearing.

The B. & A. Elevated Tracks.

To the Editor of the Graphic:—Having read in your paper of the plan to elevate the tracks of the Boston & Albany Railroad at a great expense, and both the city and the railroad, I would like to ask if the plan has ever been considered of widening and straightening the road from Boston to Riverside by way of Newton Highlands?

Here they have a way that could be made as short as the one by way of Newton Centre and West Newton, and perhaps a little shorter, with only three grade crossings to be changed. Two at Newton Centre and one at Highlands. Why not add two tracks to this line and send all express and fast trains this way?

If it is wished to send freight by this line could not that be arranged? And that would leave the line from Riverside via West Newton to be used only for circuit or local trains. Now may it not be in a few years these circuit trains will be run by electricity, similarly to the manner of the West End railroad from Boston, and if this should be the case, what necessity for the unsightly disfigurement that is now planned.

Then let the Boston & Albany railroad take up all but two of its tracks to Riverside via West Newton and make a boulevard of its road bed and what an enhancement to the city would it be. Instead of the detriment which will occur if they carry out their present plan.

If the time comes that our local roads are run by electricity we can have shorter trains, of one or two cars and I should think, run more frequently, which would be a gain to our city.

He Wants His Money Back.

A. Leland Brown of Newton, who is the plaintiff in a suit which came before Judge Barker in the Supreme Court Tuesday forenoon, says that James H. Langley, Everett G. Weinschenk and William E. Manning, doing business under the firm name of H. S. Townsend & Co., induced him to subscribe for \$1,000 worth of the bonds of the Columbia Land & Lumber Company of Kentucky.

It was said, as he claims, that the company had 200,000 acres of land at the junction of the John and Daniel Rivers in Kentucky, and a plant consisting of buildings and machinery which would enable the company to turn out manufactured products in great quantities at a minimum cost. It was also said that neither was at hand and veins of canal coal equal in all respects to the English article. He also claims that it was said that the company was in receipt of royalties which gave it a great income. Mr. Brown says he paid his money and was elected assistant treasurer at a salary of \$2500 a year, but he found that the treasury contained no money and that his salary was on paper only. He now brings suit against the company and the other defendants alleging that the whole thing is a fraud and that the company owns no land mills, mines or anything else of value.

He wants a receiver appointed and some sort of an order which will enable him to get his money back. Judge Barker ordered the defendants to file an answer before Thursday.

A boy was asked, which was the greater evil, hurting another's feelings or his finger?

"The feelings," he said.

"Right," my dear child, said the gratified questioner. "But why is it worse to hurt the feelings?"

"Because you can't tie a rag around them."—Old, but true.

Beautiful Palms.

Decorate your home with palms, Rubber Plants, Dracaenas, Ferns, Cyclamens, Primroses, etc. All sizes and prices at Mansfield's, Crafts St., Newtonville, P. O. box 111. All plants delivered free.

Coughing Leads to Consumption. Kemps Balsam will stop the cough at once.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

Drumming Up the Coffin Business.

A Pittsburg man who represents a wholesale undertaking establishment returned yesterday from a month's trip through Maryland and other southern states. Notwithstanding the prevalence of the grip, he said, his business was not above the average run. "What do I want with caskets and trimmings?" growled an undertaker in Cumberland to me. "I am not getting a whisper of a ghost to bury."

"Oh," I ventured to say, "you can't tell what might happen—an accident, earthquake, feud or the like—and it is always timely to prepare for these emergencies."

"Got too big a stock of misfits on hand now," abruptly answered my former customer. I quietly walked in the rear of the room in order to give my friend time to think over the matter.

I unconsciously examined the wall decorations. Among them were varicolored signs which struck me as being the newest wrinkle in advertising which helps to send the Grim Reaper along. Here is a trio of them which I copied:

"Use Our Own Embalming Fluid if You Wish Pleasant Results."

"We Invite Special Attention to Our New Line of Shrouds."

"You Kick the Bucket; We Do the Rest."—Pittsburg Dispatch.

Why He Shaved On His Whiskers.

The Rev. T. De Witt Talmage has at length cleared up a painful Brooklyn mystery by telling a reporter why he shaved off his whiskers. There was a vague suspicion that Dr. Talmage had acted from some religious conviction, but such, he frankly explains, is not the case.

Dr. Talmage shaved off his whiskers solely in the cause of art. He had an idea that he would look better clean shaven than with whiskers, and that was the whole secret of the mystery. He also explained why he grew whiskers originally. He was so very thin when young, he said, that he grew a beard in order to help him cast a shadow. He at that time considered it necessary to cast a shadow.

Dr. Talmage is not so thin now. He can cast a shadow now without the aid of whiskers. So, having accomplished its sole purpose in life, the beard had to go. Dr. Talmage did not shave to make himself look younger. He thinks that such artifices are in vain and that no one is deceived.

Dr. Talmage shaves himself every morning except Sundays. His Sunday shaving he does on Saturday night. He has a number of good razors, and he says that a good razor will sharpen itself if let alone for a few days.—New York Herald.

Difficult Census Taking.

It appears that the Dominion census is not complete yet. The figures from the northern part of British Columbia were sent to Ottawa but the other day, and the Peace and Mackenzie sections will not be heard from till June next. The work of enumeration in these far off districts is very laborious and entails a lot of traveling. In taking the census of the Cassiar and Stickeen river sections of British Columbia the enumerator had to go to Alaska and travel inland to the Canadian border.

He found the natives in a state of almost primitive barbarism and entirely unlighted as to Christianity. A few Chinese had settled upon claims, but were making very little progress. In numbers these people will not add very much to the figures already given, and they will add less to the sum of our aggregate wealth.—Toronto Mail.

Death of an English Railway King.

Mr. Richard Potter (formerly chairman of the Great Western railway) was at one time manager of the Grand Trunk Railway of Canada, and he had at one time or another been connected with several English railways. Indeed, he may be said to be among the last of the railway princes whose names are connected with the early history of the railway. He amassed an enormous fortune, which will go to his daughters, nine of whom are living. He had no sons. The only unmarried daughter is Miss Beatrice Potter, whose writings on co-operation are well known. Of the married daughters one is the wife of Mr. Leonard Courtney, M. P.—Pall Mall Budget.

An Order for a Barrel of Cider.

In the course of the trial of the man who has been selling sham decorations in France, some curious instances have come to light of combined vanity and meanness. The swindler's plan was to get what he could from his victims for his pretended orders of the Lion and Sun of Persia. One tradesman who had made money and was anxious to make a figure in society with a bit of colored ribbon in his buttonhole actually concluded a bargain by which he was to have the distinction for the valuable consideration of a barrel of cider.—London Telegraph.

Go Thou and Do Likewise.

Evidently Justice Flynn, of Whitneyville, does not like to answer useless questions.

He recently appeared on the street with his feet incased in a commodious pair of No. 12 shoes, which bore an antiquated look suggestive of the days of the Mayflower, upon which was the following inscription, written on adhesive paper plastered across the instep, "Put on for comfort a large corn beneath."

Smiles were plentiful in consequence, but the story was already told and no questions were asked.—Pittsfield Advertiser.

An effort is to be made to successfully introduce German song birds into Oregon. A number of red cardinals, bobolinks and indigo birds have also been brought there from the east and are to be liberated in the spring.

A steamer from Auckland recently landed in London a cargo of 40,000 sheep and 2,000 cattle, frozen and dressed for the market and at prices lower than those charged for American meats.

Newton Cottage Hospital.

At the meeting of the executive committee held Feb. 4th, appointments were made for the ensuing year as follows:

Hospital staff—Drs. M. H. Clarke, F. G. Curtis, S. L. Eaton, J. F. Frisbie, W. O. Hunt, R. P. Loring, F. L. McIntosh, F. E. Porter, S. A. Sylvester, Geo. H. Talbot, F. L. Thayer, James Utley.

Auxiliary staff—Drs. F. E. Crockett, W. H. McOwen, D. W. Stearns, Kenelm Winslow, E. R. Utley.

Consulting physicians—Drs. Otis E. Hunt and E. P. Scales.

Oculist—Dr. A. S. Wiley.

Aurist—Dr. H. P. Bellows.

In addition to the local staff, the hospital has secured the services of Dr. W. Gay of the Mass. General Hospital, as Special Consulting Surgeon.

It has been decided to establish a Directory for Nurses, and a sub-committee was appointed to draft rules for its management. It is believed that the public and those who serve them in the capacity of nurses, will find such a directory mutually advantageous.

A nurses' home is a need which it is hoped will be met in the near future, and as an initial step in that direction, some rooms in the hospital will be temporarily utilized, to which our graduates, when off duty, can come for rest and entertainment at a moderate cost.

The wards have recently been beautified by a gift of eight beautiful etchings, and there was passed a vote of thanks to the Ladies' Aid Association, who have handsomely framed these works of art, and have them ready available.

It was voted that the small-pox ward be immediately furnished, and put in order for the reception of patients. Although the need for it may be distant, it is the policy of the hospital to be ready for every emergency.

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MORE WOOL PROTECTION.

IT IS TIME TO PROTECT THE WOOL CONSUMERS.

(From New England Farmer.)

E. L. G., West Rutland, Vt., says: I would give our wool-growing farmers such protection as would enable them to raise all the wool raised here. There was already a duty of 49.03 per cent on clothing wools, the average duty being 10.55 cents per pound before the passage of the McKinley bill. An advocate of the sub-treasury scheme of the Farmer's Alliance, at a hearing before a congressional committee, when asked why its authors had not included wool, hops, rice and cheese, with the other produce specified for deposit, answered that "those staples are protected by a high tariff, 75 per cent on wool alone." Yet this does not seem to satisfy the appetite of E. L. G., and others of this class, for "more wool protection," is wanted to keep out Australian wool that he says can be raised there for five cents per pound, "while we are importing over one-third of the wool used here."

How can duty enough be added to the already enormous duty on foreign wool to keep out Australian wool that can be raised there for five cents per pound, when wool farmers cannot raise wool here for the stereotyped quotations week after week of "fine unwashed Vermont and New Hampshire wool 19 to 21 cents." If the duty should be raised high enough to prohibit Australian wool from coming here, and our wool raisers should attempt to raise their prices up to the duty line on foreign wool by competition, it would amount to a prohibition of the use of all woolen goods by the consumers in this country, and would result in the enlargement of the shoddy realm of gray woolen cloth just cotton enough to hold it together for exhibition in the clothing shops, and put a quietus on all aspirations of wool raisers in this country.

E. L. G. further says "then I would protect our wool manufacturers." The protection of our wool manufacturers is the manufacturers ought to more than satisfy any reasonable man if it does not E. L. G. It imposes a duty on the lowest grades of woolen yarns of 112 per cent, on one grade of coarse, cheap blankets 106 per cent, women and children's cheap dress goods with cotton warp 106 per cent, the lowest grades of woolen cloth 125 per cent, the lowest grades of woolen shawls 135 per cent, etc. Will not E. L. G. go for protecting the great mass of consumers of woolen goods in this country a little? M. J. HARVEY.

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Piecemeal Attacks.

Hon. David A. Wells has pronounced in favor of piecemeal attacks upon the McKinley tariff, because, "with a complete tariff bill, the friends of reform would have to meet the entire force of the protectionists, active and compact through the attraction of further opportunity for public plunder." Mr. Wells cites, as a good precedent for the House of Representatives to follow, Robert Peel's course "in dealing with exactly the same problem as now confronts tariff legislators, but from a British standpoint." Peel adopted "the tentative method, and owed all his great success to the fact that he did adopt it." Mr. Wells says that "by adopting the tentative method and sending to the Senate a few simple bills enacted by the House, bills removing the duties on wool, salt, coal, lumber, tin plate, and the like—the Democratic party will define and formulate the plan and scope on which the tariff debate in the coming year, and a contest shall be conducted." But Hon. R. Q. Mills disagrees with Hon. David Wells, and remains steadfast to the opinion that a general tariff bill should be reported. At a dinner given by the Reform Club of New York in his honor, last evening, when the Democrats had been fighting that tariff for thirty years, and he was for carrying on the war—eternal, uncompromising war. At the close of his speech Mr. Mills said, "I will follow wherever the flag points to fair trade. I will follow wherever the flag goes, no matter who carries it; and I will fight wherever the battle is pitched." Mr. Mills, in his announcement, undoubtedly represented the best sentiment of the Democratic party, which is against a do-nothing policy on the tariff.

German Reciprocity.

(N. Y. World.) Under the reciprocity treaty with Germany that nation admits free of duty American "wool and stuffs made thereof." By other clauses of the McKinley law German and all other wools imported into the United States must pay a duty of 11 and 12 cents per pound for the first and second grades, and 50 per cent of their value for the third and lower grades. Woolen clothing must pay 40 to 42 cents per pound and 60 per cent of its value. Other woollen manufactures must pay from 33 to 44 cents per pound and from 40 to 50 per cent of their value. Why should a Republican Congress and administration aid in securing to the German manufacturers untaxed wool, and to the German people untaxed clothing, while heaping still higher the taxes on wool fibre and fabrics for our own people? Germany, like the United States, is a wool-growing and woollen manufacturing country. Like us, she has a high protective tariff. But Germany neither handicaps her manufacturers with a tax on their raw material nor oppresses her people with taxes on the clothing that is essential to their health or comfort. No wool growing and manufacturing country in the world, save the United States, maintains this barbarous and oppressive tax.

After Using Ely's Cream Balm two months I was surprised to find that the right nostril, which was closed for over twenty years, was open and free as the other, and can use it now as I could not do for many years. I feel very thankful.—R. H. Cressingham, 275 18th St., Brooklyn.

Look at Him.

A year ago he was not expected to live. Liver complaint almost killed him. He got great relief from three bottles of Sui-pur-bi-tan, and six bottles cured him.—Editor Weekly Sun.

BOSTON AMUSEMENTS.

GLOBE THEATRE—"La Cigale" comes to the globe next Monday evening, after a successful run at the Garden Theatre, New York. The piece possesses many strong elements. Not only is the scenery magnificent and the costumes costly and beautiful, but the groupings of the people and the blending of colors are so skillfully effected by the stage manager that the very best results are obtained. The consequence is a series of delightful stage pictures. Then, best of all, the title role is sung by Miss Lillian Russell, than whom no light opera singer has a stronger hold on the public. Miss Russell deserves the highest credit for the perseverance and earnestness which she has displayed of late years. She is finding her reward now and bids fair to maintain her present popular ascendancy for many years to come. Miss Russell and "La Cigale" will be seen for the first time in Boston at the Globe, Feb. 15th.

HOLLIS STREET THEATRE—The closing week of Miss Julia Marlowe's engagement begins Monday evening next. It was in Boston that Miss Marlowe earned her first laurels and the endorsement of the Boston public and the Boston critics. Since then she has constantly given proof of the fact that Boston was right in assigning to her a high place in the modern theatre. Ambitious, talented, conscientious, untiring in her devotion to her art, with noble purposes and lofty aims, and free from every taint of scandal, she is an artist well worthy of the encouragement of the very best representatives of a city which is proud of its judgment in art. Seats for any of the performances should be secured well in advance. The repertoire for the coming week follows: Monday, The Hunchback; Tuesday, Much Ado About Nothing; Wednesday, Romeo and Juliet; Thursday and Friday evenings, Saturday Matinee, Cymbeline; Saturday evening, As You Like It.

COLUMBIA THEATRE—The success of "The Lost Paradise" at the Columbia Theatre is not to be wondered at, as it is well deserved. It is a strong play, intensely dramatic, up to the times, well written and finely constructed, and is being wonderfully and finely acted by a company of talented and well trained players. It would not be surprising if "The Lost Paradise" duplicated in Boston its remarkable run in New York.

BOWDOIN SQUARE THEATRE—The handsome Bowdoin Square Theatre will open next Monday with that charming comedienne, Miss Nellie McHenry, and her excellent company in the successful and amusing skit "A Night at the Circus." The theatre is practically completed and the managers deemed it best to carry out the original plan of beginning their season Feb. 15. Many little finishing touches will be given to the house prior to the opening. The sale of seats indicates a large and fashionable audience on the opening night, while the demand for the balance of the week would point to audiences limited only to the capacity of the house.

TREMONT THEATRE—Next Monday night, Feb. 15, the well known comedian, Mr. Frank Daniels, will appear at the Tremont Theatre, beginning at that date a week's engagement. Mr. Daniels will be seen in a play whose title, by the popularity he has gained for it, and from his most amusing dual assumption therein, is very familiar in Boston, "Little Pack." Mr. Daniels is full to the brim of comical conceits, an excellent character actor and a capital vocalist, and he has surrounded himself by most engaging and attractive young ladies, and good actors in the male roles. He will afford the Tremont's patrons a week of unlimited hilarity and wholesome, legitimate fun.

"HOURS WITH DICKENS."—This is the appropriate title of unique entertainment first offered at the Boston Museum on Saturday evening, Feb. 13th, and which, while exciting already great public interest, promises to mark a memorable epoch in the history of the Boston Museum. Dickens' sketch, "The Holly Tree Inn," forming the first division of the "Hours," introduces two well known youthful artists, Master Willie Edgington and little Viola McNeill, both pleasantly remembered—the former for his work in "Little Lord Fauntleroy," and "The Soulan," and the latter in "Margaret Fleming," while "Dombey and Son" affords that great Boston favorite, Mr. George W. Wilson, an opportunity of giving us a new "character" study, also what is the line of "The Gurney" ("Yer' and, Gurney, yer' and.") A feature of especial interest in this production is the costuming of each member of the cast in strict accordance with the period (1840) and the Cruikshank plates.

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The bell sometimes failed to respond on long trains, and serious accidents occurred on that account. The bell rope was also a handy thing for train robbers to cut in order to prevent an alarm while they were looting the wealth of the passengers. The other leading railroads of the country will adopt the air train signal as soon as they can get it attached to their coaches. The New York Central, Pennsylvania, Baltimore and Ohio and the Big Four are having the new system of signaling the engineer attached to their trains.—New York Telegram.

A Naples Donkey Barrow Story.

A ridiculous incident is recorded by our correspondent at Naples. There is an asylum in that city for old people, in the service of which is used a small donkey barrow on which is inscribed the words "Little Sisters of the Poor," and which is generally used for collecting old gifts, from the sale of which the inmates derive an income of about 20,000 francs a year. The other day one of the paupers fell and hurt his head, and was conveyed in the cart, accompanied by two nuns, to the Pellegrini hospital. Just before reaching it the cart upset and the donkey ran away and took refuge in an office of the "Lotto." The spectators and inhabitants of the neighboring streets immediately crowded to the "Lotto" office to play the numbers appropriate to the different persons and objects connected with the affair—83, 38, 41, 58—and next day the office itself placarded the following numbers at its door, with the heading, "Yesterday's incident—11, 41, 71, 90."—London News.

Could Not Leave the Old Home.

We have a dog story that is worthy of being put on record. On the third day of last month Mr. William Bunker of this place sent a dog to his daughter Mrs. Delos Stebbins, of Sherman, N. Y. He was put in a crate, provided for the trip and shipped on a noon train at Williamsfield station. He changed cars at Ashtabula, Brockton and Mayville leaving the train at Sherman and being driven, still in his crate, seven miles up the country. When released he seemed to take kindly to his surroundings, but on the tenth day of the month at noon he walked into his old home, coming from the east. He looked hale and hearty and to all appearances had enjoyed the trip and found friends by the way. Evidently he tramped his way home, as he carried no purse to pay traveling expenses.—Ashtabula (O.) Beacon.

A Remarkable Court Record.

The jury on one case in the Biddeford supreme judicial court disagreed last week, and Judge Virgin improved the opportunity to give them his opinion of a jury that could not agree in words which he said he would utter slowly as he wished to measure time. After scolding them a little the judge said that in the eighteen years he had held court in York county only four disagreements had been reported out of 400 cases. This is not a bad record.—Lewiston Journal.

In an Almshouse Thirty Years.

A woman died recently in an almshouse in Maine at the age of one hundred years. She had been an inmate of the institution for thirty years, and during that period she had been, it is said, laid out as dead three times, but on each occasion she came to life in time to put a stop to the funeral arrangements. Only a few days before her death an undertaker was called to prepare her remains for burial, but when he arrived she was sitting up in bed.—Philadelphia Ledger.

Air Flows.

A V shaped contrivance, to be placed on the front of engines of fast express trains, is the latest scheme to get more speed, by overcoming much of the natural resistance of the air to the front of the locomotive. The flow extends from a few inches above the track to the top of the smokestack, the sharp edge of course in front. "Shoveling fog" is a common expression among railroad men, but plowing wind is a new thing in railroad agriculture.—English Mechanic.

Packed in the Ice for the Winter.

On last Saturday Master Calvin B Crocker captured a twelve pound turtle. The reptile was discovered under the ice that had formed over a pool near his home on Rockland street, and was taken "alive and kicking" after a breaking and entering of his icy home.—Dedham (Mass.) Transcript.

The Algerians know what a real plague of grasshoppers is. In one district of that country alone over 50,000 gallons of the eggs of the pest were gathered and burned last year.

There will be 444 electoral votes in 1892. Congress passed last year a reapportionment bill based on the census of 1890, allowing one member to 178,901 people.

The survey for the railroad from Mombassa, on the east African coast, to the lakes in the territories of the British East Africa company is to be begun at once.

The progress in education in Alaska is shown from the fact that on June 30 last there were twenty-four schools, having a total enrollment of 1,851 pupils.

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AN OLD TROUBLE SETTLED.

At the meeting of the executive committee of the hospital held last week the name of Dr. F. L. McIntosh was proposed by the Homeopathic doctors for membership in the Hospital Staff, and the nomination was unanimously confirmed. Thus this long standing and vexatious trouble was happily ended.

It is a great pity that dissension ever broke out over the management of this noble institution, but now that it is all settled let it be speedily forgotten.

We record the settlement of this controversy with great pleasure because the whole community was so deeply interested in it while it lasted, and it will be a source of satisfaction to both sides to know that the institution has come out of its great trial with so little injury. There has been some harm done, especially in the way of the loss of funds that were expected, but the hospital is too deeply rooted in the affections of the people to permit it to languish for any lack of support.

This happy ending of what threatened at one time to be a collapse makes it proper to ask the attention of Newton people to the unique position the hospital occupies. It is a pioneer in the way of small institutions without resident doctors and attended by both schools. It has encouraged people all over the United States to hope that any community of 10,000 population can have its own hospital managed by a Matron and served by its own local doctors.

As a result we find Cottage Hospitals or their equivalents springing up in many places. Any permanent injury to the Newton institution would have been felt far and wide.

Beside this the experiment made in training nurses has been so successful here, that only the lack of suitable accommodations for the pupils prevents our having a school numbering from twenty to forty each year. The teaching ability of the doctors of our city and their enthusiasm for the success of this school have been shown in the noble results thus far attained. Nurses graduating here are in steady demand, to say nothing of the numerous applications, which it is impossible to meet, for pupil nurses to go out into Newton homes.

It is almost surprising that some one or more persons do not offer to build a new building for the nurses. Its cost would be only \$5000 and \$1000 more for the furnishing. People interested in solving the great problem of finding avenues of employment for women may well be glad of such an opportunity to put twenty or more each year in the way of gaining a livelihood in an honorable and useful way.

The letter of Mr. Blaine's has called out the usual controversy as to whether it takes him definitely out of the race or not. The Republican correspondent of the Boston Transcript says that "Those who have been and are closely identified with Blaine, consider the letter as meaning no more and no less than the Florence letter of eighty-eight. They assert if there should be a stubborn contest in the convention at Minneapolis among candidates who will now come forward and there should be no visible way out of the complications, and the convention should turn to him to aid them out of their difficulties, he would accept. He was ready to do the same thing in 1888, but the friends of Sherman, Alger and the other candidates refused to withdraw in order to permit the convention to nominate him. Under this condition there was no course left but to refuse to allow his name to be used. The friends of the present administration, however, insist that Mr. Blaine must be taken at his word, and they intend to prevent his name being presented. There is no question but that Mr. Blaine is the most popular candidate whose name has been presented, and any mention of his name arouses enthusiasm, especially in connection with the word 'reciprocity,' which he succeeded in having inserted in the McKinley bill, and so saved that measure from being as fatal to the party as it would otherwise have been.

The plan of having another redistricting of the state came up in the house this week and was defeated as it should have been. The contest was enlivened by a very frank speech from Mr. Rideout of Cambridge, a republican and the head of the finance committee. He opposed any change in the districts as laid out last year, and said the people were satisfied with that division. Referring to Congressman Lodge, and his well known attitude on the question, he said that the fact that Mr. Lodge favored a gerrymander stamped him as an unsafe leader for the people to follow. The republicans have none too much margin in the state now. If the present leaders do not satisfy we will get some new ones. He lived in the district represented by Sherman Hoar, and if the republicans did not carry themselves pretty straight it would be represented by a democrat again.

Some time ago our readers may remember that there was a lively discussion of American tin plate in the papers, and that tin plate factories were reported to be springing up in every section of the country, with millions of dollars invested in buildings and works, and at the last election there was a great output of American tin campaign buttons, which unfortunately were made in England. The National Provisioner of Feb. 6th, a trade and not a political paper, reviews the tin plate industry and concludes that there has been a very slight, if any, increase in the industry in this country. Probably the factories are waiting for the next campaign before beginning work, as it seems to be mostly a political instead of a business industry. The Provisioner concludes its review by saying "We can only again refer to the recent circular of the Tin-plate Consumers' Association, in which more than three hundred leading consumers of tin-plate in this country state, 'It is a matter of business and not of politics that up to the present moment not one sheet of coke tins, which constitute over one-half our entire requirements, has yet been put on the market by the American manufacturers, and the present output of all kinds does not constitute one per cent of the entire consumption of tin-plate in America.'"

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The revolt against Senator Hill is assuming proportion even in his own state which ought to alarm that wily trickster and it would be for the purification of politics in general to have him thoroughly and utterly defeated. Even McKinley could easily be elected president against Hill or any man of Hill's selection, and Mr. McKinley is about the weakest candidate the Republicans could nominate. But it would be a national calamity to have either one of the two parties put up such a man as Hill, as it would show to what depths a large portion of the political workers had sunk. Of course to the machine politicians it is a simply inconceivable fact that voters would bolt any regularly nominated candidate, but experience has proved that they will, and the list of bolters against Hill includes about all the respectable Democrats in New York state.

The Boston Transcript says that "the statistical showing that out of six hundred patients in an insane asylum not one has had the grip, rather contravenes the Christian scientists' idea of 'all is mind, there is no matter.' A Newton Christian Scientist says that this proves exactly the reverse. The grip being a nervous disease, it affects those who have minds to be affected by it, and the insane patients not having their imaginations filled with reports of the disease, of course do not have it.

A prominent street railway man says it is all "stuffed" about the Newton and Boston street railway company using the storage battery system, and the talk about it makes him "fired." He asserts that it will use the trolley system at the start. This will probably call out an equally vigorous statement from Mr. Huestis, the Newton apostle of the storage battery.

It is rumored that ex-Governor Ames is to be a candidate for the United States Senate. The only question seems to be whether he is rich enough to become a member of that club of millionaires, among whom it would not be difficult to find worse men than ex-Governor Ames.

Lasell Notes.

Miss Annie S. Peck gave her first lecture upon Greek Antiquities Friday evening, February 5. It was upon Athens and was illustrated by the stereopticon. The second lecture was charged from Friday evening, February 12, to Wednesday, February 10, and treated of the acropolis. Both lectures were of great interest and were well attended.

Parties continue to visit the Art Club as well as the museum. The pupils of Mr. Henry Orme Ryder are especially interested in the new picture which he exhibits at this exposition. Mr. Ryder is now a member of the club. Mr. Ryder makes visitors welcome in the studio of Lasell and all friends of the school are cordially invited to visit the art collection.

February 8 the cooking program was salad, mayonnaise dressing, creme frete, cabinet pudding, creamy sauce. Mrs. Humes, late missionary at Bombay, will address the Missionary Society of Lasell seminary on Sunday, February 14, at two o'clock in the afternoon.

On Monday evening a party attended the general meeting of the Newton Christian Endeavor Society. The quartet assisted in the singing.

Mr. William J. Rolfe was able to meet his Shakespeare pupils Wednesday, February 10.

Rev. Dr. Russ, principal of Wesleyan College, Cincinnati, has been visiting the school this week.

Boston Theatre.

Mr. Tompkins will have Sims & Buchanan's drama of "The Trumpet Call" which is the present reigning attraction in London, ready for presentation Monday next. He will give it with entire new scenes, costumes and appointments, and his carefully selected acting company. Mr. Lawrence McCarty is directing the rehearsals, and a series of thoroughly good performances may be anticipated.

There will be a gala Matinee performance of "The Trumpet Call" on Monday, Feb. 22, in honor of Washington's Natal Day.

COLONEL HASKELL'S ADDRESS

ON THE POSITION OF REPUBLICANS ON THE TEMPERANCE QUESTION.

Col. E. H. Haskell made the address at the annual meeting of the Mystic Valley Club, in Boston Tuesday evening, and gave a very out-spoken summary of the position of Republicans ought to take on the temperance question. He said: "It was my privilege to contribute some two years ago at the opening of the campaign of 1889, a series of articles in which I suggested what seemed to me the duty of the friends of temperance, who believed in practical temperance legislation, in supporting the Republican party. I then said that it seemed to me that it was the duty of every true friend of temperance having at heart the best welfare of the cause, to put aside all feelings of disappointment over the defeat of the constitutional amendment and to unite in one common effort to cultivate a stronger sentiment that would support, when the time should arrive, a prohibitory policy as the public policy of our state.

In my opinion the Republican party has not kept faith with itself or with the great body of temperance men within its own ranks, or with its avowed purpose of restricting the liquor traffic; and here I refer not only to the action of the minority of the party, who are mainly responsible for the repeal of the open bar or anti-saloon clause, but also to the action of the constitutional amendment in declining to recognize in such repeal that a great step backward had been taken in thus legalizing the saloon in this Commonwealth.

In my judgement, gentlemen, the first duty of the Republican party is to reverse the great mistake which was thus made, and to secure once more the incorporation of this most vital clause into our present law with such amendments, if necessary, as shall remove any doubt as to its purpose. We are fast reaching a position in this country which even the greatest enthusiasts, optimists and eulogists have not dared to entertain, and which is viewed with alarm and deep concern. No question relating closely to the welfare, prosperity and happiness of Americans can be measured for a moment with that great issue fast pressing itself to the front, that factor in our present politics which is fast sapping the very foundations of our political system, the welfare of our cherished institutions, that controlling power and influence of the organized liquor traffic of our country. It is not an issue that relates to any one party, to any one sect, to any one element of society alone. It is above and beyond these.

This, to my mind, is the great and present duty of the Republican party, to place itself upon the side of temperance, of good order and the highest welfare of our people, and to accomplish this, first, by the reaffirmation of its purpose by legislation to legally strip the saloon of the status which it now enjoys for the first time in many years, and then by subsequent legislation to deprive it of every vestige of political power. And I trust that the day will soon come in Massachusetts when we shall be able to incorporate into our law the provision that in those towns and cities that by their action continue to sanction the saloon in their midst no license shall issue to any person who holds a public office, either municipal or State, or who is a member of any political committee, or whose saloon would be a resort for political purposes. [Applause.] Let the Republican party of Massachusetts recognize this great issue of the saloon in politics as one to be met; to be met fearlessly and to be met now, and the results can be only most gratifying, not only to you, who have been identified so long with the cause of temperance, but to the many friends of the cause all over the land. [Applause.]

MARRIED.

HARRINGTON-MITCHELL.—At Lubec, Me., Feb. 3, by Rev. L. W. Phillips, Walter Harrington of Newton and Martha Morton Mitchell of Lubec.

JONES-KELLY.—At Newt. n. Feb. 8, by Rev. M. Dolan, Patrick Jones and Mary Kelly.

BRATTON-GUNNING.—At Newton Centre Feb. 9, by Rev. T. J. Holmes, Edward Humphrey Bratton and Annie M. Gunning.

BELL-EVANS.—At Newton Centre, Feb. 9, by Rev. T. J. Holmes, John Henry Bell and Emma Evans.

DIED.

FROST.—At Newton Centre, Feb. 4, Alvin Frost, 83 years, 11 months, 14 days.

HURBRIGHT.—At Newton, Feb. 6, Gordon H. son of George H. and Louisa H. Hurdston, 3 years, 5 months, 13 days.

MURRAY.—At Newton Cottage Hospital, Feb. 8, Harry A. Murray, 20 years, 11 months, 24 days.

BROWN.—At Newtonville, Feb. 10, Emily Maria, beloved wife of Frederick A. Brown, 63 yrs.

DICKERSON.—At Newton, Feb. 8, Mrs. Ella Dickerson, 36 years.



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Wonderful Corn.

A. J. Mercer, living near Burden, Kan., has some corn which is the rarest ever grown. The patch was small, but the corn is a kind that has never been seen in this country before.

Last spring Mercer opened a mound on his farm, and in it found a lot of corn, along with prehistoric relics, showing that the corn had been put in there ages ago. It was in a sealed jar, and was about a peck in quantity. He gave away half of it to his neighbors and others who heard of it and wanted a few grains for a curiosity.

When planting time came he thought it would be a good idea to plant some of it, and prepared a patch of ground near his house and planted about two quarts of the seed. It came up and thrived well under the cultivation given it. The ears came well. The ears were about six inches long and the grains were close together, standing up with sharp points. The grains are small, being about one-fourth the size of an ordinary grain of corn.

Mercer thinks that this must undoubtedly be the original corn of this country from which the present has sprung through long and high cultivation. What is remarkable about it is that the mound from which it was taken has every evidence of being very old, for trees were growing on it that could not be less than 200 years old. The relics found with the corn are similar to those found in the mounds of Illinois and Ohio, and this mound must have been co-existent with those, which are believed to have been over 1,000 years old. Mercer has sent samples of his corn to friends in the east and to the government officials at Washington.—Fort Worth (Tex.) Gazette.

Beggars in Cold New York.

The number of beggars in the streets is appalling. It is impossible for any one to resist their appeals, for the sufferings which many of these unfortunate go through is apparent from their wretched condition. Half of them are only partly clad and in some instances the physical sufferings must be intense. A day or two since a lady of my acquaintance told me of a woman and child who had taken up a position on the corner near her house, the woman turning a small organ in an effort to attract a few pennies. She was actually sitting in the snow and she remained there two hours, until one of the neighbors went out to her assistance. There was not a penny in the tin box on the organ and the woman was frozen almost into insensibility. The child was taken to a hospital, where it subsequently died. There was no romance about the matter. It was a simple illustration of the awful misery which has been the lot of the poor during the recent cold weather in New York.—Blakely Hall in Brooklyn Eagle.

The Oldest Gunner Dead.

The oldest gunner in the United States navy, the venerable George Sirian, died the other day in Portsmouth, Va. His life was full of romance and adventures. Born in 1817, on the Greek island of Ipsalia, he was made a homeless orphan by the attack and massacre by the Turks of the inhabitants of that island in 1826. The bombardment of the Turks by the old Constitution—"Old Ironsides"—saved the lives of a large number, and he was among eleven boys who survived and were brought away by that gallant old vessel. He was brought home by Lieutenant Randolph, of Richmond, the executive officer of the ship.

Later he was taken by Mr. Marshall, gunner in the United States navy, from Lieutenant Randolph and by him taught gunnery and pyrotechnics. At the age of twenty he entered the navy as a gunner, and in many a hard fought battle afterward showed that the blood of the Greeks, famous at Marathon and Thermopylae, at Plataea and Mycenae, still lived in his veins.—New York Arrad.

Hawk and Snake at It.

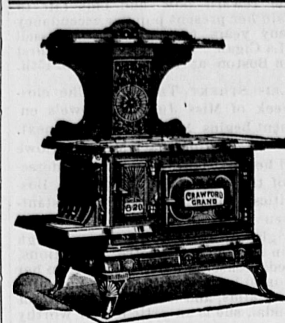
Mrs. W. P. Lasitter had an unusual experience a few days ago. As the story goes, she saw a large hawk descend to the ground. As the hawk did not rise after a short time she decided to investigate. On approaching the place the hawk arose and perched upon a tree near by. In a few minutes it descended again. Mrs. Lasitter proceeded to the place and found that the hawk had tackled a large blacksnake. Its talons were fast in the snake and the snake so entwined about the wings and body of the hawk that the latter could neither disengage itself from the snake nor rise with it. Mrs. Lasitter took advantage of the situation, and arming herself with a club killed both hawk and snake. —Oviedo (Fla.) Chron.

A Large Calla Lily.

Mrs. William Kelley, of Dyer Brook, has a calla lily two years old which is six feet high, with stalks eleven inches in circumference where they leave the earth. If it isn't the largest in Aroostook county, then its owner doesn't know it. —Bangor (Me.) Commercial.

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MELINDY'S WEDDING.

BY MARY KYLE DALIAS.

When Melindy Wiggins got engaged to Pelig Jenks, her ma was just tickled to death. Beaux was scarce down to Punkinville, for none of the young men would stay after they were grown up. Besides, Pelig is real forehanded, and quite a catch.

His ma was so agin his marryin' at all, and Melindy she wouldn't never have caught him 's he hadn't took airy mornin' walks 'bout the time he went over to his place of business, and met him as ef by accident.

I am told that he proposed by Taggart's barn, and was accepted in front of the shoemaker's, and gave Melindy her engagement ring just this side of the blacksmith's; but I can't quite believe folks get pettiered as close as that. I only say they say so. I don't swear to it.

Well, Mrs. Wiggins she was real sot up about it, and she said that Melindy should be dressed up as much as any bride there ever had been in Punkinville, ef not a little better. But Mr. Wiggins, Melindy's pa, he come of a close family, and he was near himself—'twas his nater to be—and when Melindy's ma asked him fur money to shop for the things, he jest buttoned up his pockets and said, "Naw." He ollers pounced no that way when he was sot, "Naw," sez he, "I ain't tolled and mollied forty odd years fur to let my money be spent like water. You kin make a list out of what is wanted, and I'll get it."

Well, when he spoke up like that, Mrs. Wiggins she knew 'twasn't no good talkin' so she said, "P'raps you ain't right, pa," and she wrote down some things, and kinder winked acrost to Melindy, who was beginning to cry at the idea of her pa, that didn't know caliker from blankets, a-choosin' her weddin' clothes.

The help saw all that, and heered what was said, and nat'rally told folks.

Well, that afternoon Mr. Wiggins went to town to sell his potatoes, and got the money, and come down on the boat as usual.

The boat landin' is in quite a lonesome place, and he went home by a sort of side path, any ways; and just about dusk the Browns heard a howlin' in the picnic woods, and goin' to see what it was, there was old Wiggins tied to a tree. He told 'em he'd been beset by robbers, and that they was so fierce and furious he had. He described 'em as most outlandish critters. He said their hair was like cotton wool, and their faces black; their hats was tied on with big handkerchiefs, and they was queer and slopy in the small of their backs. Their hands and feet was sort of small and dressed lookin', and they had blue overalls and linen dusters on. He said 'twasn't their strength that overcome him, but their bein' so spooky and supernatural-like. And one of 'em said, in a hollow voice, "Little you know who we be;" and the other, "We're takin' your money because you don't pay fur her; and we should fur oleman occasions. Beware in the future!"

When he got home he cried, and said he wished he'd giv Mrs. Wiggins the money for Melindy's things; but she said it happened fortunate that her sister, Melindy's aunt, had sent her a present fur her weddin'.

The help, now, she don't think them robbers was supernatural, and she sed ef ever Mr. Wiggins finds out the truth she dunno what will happen to Mrs. Wiggins. I kinder think myself that the robbers was Mrs. Wiggins dressed in a dress and hat, and she had cotton batting wigs, and I don't blame 'em.

Well, Melindy had her clothes after all, but before they was finished Mr. Wiggins he'd got over his skeer and got as mean as ever again, and he wouldn't give his unfortunate wife nothin' extra for the supper. She hurried the Tide of Fashion from the Rabbits, and found out that she'd order hev chicken salad.

But Mr. Wiggins, he said he was sellin' his chickens, not devourin' 'em to hum; and I suppose what she had done before kinder weakened poor Mrs. Wiggins' conscience; and the poor soul went around to the neighbors and stole one chicken apiece from each of us. It was kinder just to do it that way, when she might have took 'em all from one of us; and those of us that caught her at it made up our minds not to say anything, but jest to pay fur her; and we'd sent over word that ef there was anythin' we could do, to call on us. And perhaps she felt we'd be willin' to spare the chickens, but was proud about askin' fur 'em.

Well, she got the things together somehow, and she cooked and she dressed and she salad, and borried chany of most of us, and got up a real fast-rate supper, and sot the table with flowers—they was mostly margolds and old man, and some folks don't like the smell of neither; but the yaller and green looked pretty, and it was all ready for the company when they cum hum from church.

We that knowed things felt that we could see marks of innard torture on poor Mrs. Wiggins' face, and we felt to sympathize, fur she was nat'rally a moral woman and a pious one, and she'd been driven fur her; and we'd sent over word that ef there was anythin' we could do, to call on us. And perhaps she felt we'd be willin' to spare the chickens, but was proud about askin' fur 'em.

However, she got over 'em; and the minister he said he didn't know after all but it was a providence to keep us from bein' too sot on the things of this world, and reminded how short life was, and went back and married 'em proper; and so we did get back to Wiggins'; only, Mr. Wiggins hevin' been too mean to get the wagin mended, the wheel come off, and they was all split out and eneamost drowned golu' over Slabside bridge that aint got no railin'. Mrs. Wiggins, poor dear, was soaked, and when we tuk her into our wagin she kept sayin', "Judgments—judgments—judgments, is comin'!" We knowed what she was thinkin' of, and we tried to cheer her up.

Well, when the folks was dried and dressed over, we all went to supper, and we praised it up as much as we could; but Mrs. Wiggins sot down in her place

like a ghost, and folks begin to talk and laugh and help everything. But she didn't smile.

She passed the chicken salad plates to the help, and the help gave 'em to the folks, and we all tasted it, but it didn't relish. Still, we tried to eat it fur her sake. Most of us done it, too, and the coffee was good, and we cheered up some. Mrs. Wiggins didn't eat no salad herself, so she didn't know how it tasted. After supper we all went into the parlor and sot around, and Si Barker was tryin' to git up dancin', and I did hope things would end happy, when all of a sudden folks began to look pale and they was pisoned. So they seemed to be. One after the other was took sick, and they all said the same thing—it was the salad. I felt very poorly myself, and so did my Obidiah. The minister had gone home sick, and there was a regular panic. There was one doctor there, and he sent fur another; and old Miss Peebles said it was like old cholera times. It was awful, any way; but jest as we was at the wust, we ladies lyin' about in the upstairs rooms expectin' to die, and feelin' sure it was arsenic, Mrs. Wiggins appeared amongst us.

"Friends and feller-sinners," she said, "we all sit on the pint of death and here, before you all, I make confession. I am a thief and a robber, and I shall never be pardoned. It was me who robbed my husband, and more than that, I stole the chickens to make the salad—one of 'em from each of my good friends and neighbors, and judgments has fallen on us. You was driv to it, Mrs. Wiggins, sez I, 'by your pardner's meanness. We all knowed it, and none of us blame you.'"

"You don't know all," said Mrs. Wiggins. "More'n that; I went to the store and tuk my chances and stole a bottle of the recipe said to be the best used, dressin' with it. I'd never made none. I stole the bottle. Oh! I sha'n't never be forgiven—I sha'n't never be forgiven! I've tuk a bottle of pison of some sort, fur it was in the drug department where lies is kept, and I'm a murderer!"

"Oh, ho!" says the doctor. "Bring me the bottle, Mrs. Wiggins, and I guess I'll find out how to cure 'em."

Mrs. Wiggins fetched it; doctor he tasted it.

"This ain't pison, ladies," sez he. "There ain't no gret harm done; only, I don't suppose the recipe mentioned castor oil for salad dressin'. 'Pison' used, anyhow. Nobody is goin' to die this time, Mrs. Wiggins, unless it is you yourself. You lie down and quiet yourself."

Poor Mrs. Wiggins, she dropped on her knees and prayed right there fur thankfulness, and we all jined in; and as soon as folks knowed they hadn't tuk arsenic, they all got better. Mrs. Wiggins' solemn and distracted looks, and her not eatin' any, had made them that wotn't in the secret think that she'd gone crazy and done it a-purpose, which scared 'em more. And they do say Mr. Wiggins ain't quite so near as he used to be, since he saw what might come of drivin' a woman into a corner for want of a penny.

Still, we shan't forget Melindy Wiggins' wedding in a hurry—those of us that went to it.—Fireside Companion.

King Kalakana's Navy.
The Editor of the Graphic:

The story in the last issue of the GRAPHIC about King Kalakana, is hardly worthy of notice, and would not be, but that it is being copied and thus generally circulated.

I can pronounce it absolutely false in all essential particulars. It probably had its source in the brain of some commercial traveller, who was trying to match stories with some other Munchausen.

The first word is false, as the King was not an "old" man, it is the very reverse of being "perfectly true."

The King was in manner and bearing a gentleman and never a "barbarian." When the happy day came to buy a navy! He bought an English vessel, not "an American" and that to with concurrence of his cabinet under W. H. Gibson, instead of their opposition.

The Samoa story is a picture of the imagination. No "cannons" were signed to be "raved."

On the accession of the Reform Cabinet coming into power, the vessel was sold at auction as a matter of retrenchment.

The King lived some years after this episode, probably seldom recalling what had been and had now passed away. As many another scheme "of best laid plans" it is to be regretted when it is for the interest of the American government and people to do all that can be done to cultivate friendly relations with the Island Kingdom, that such false and creditable reports shall be put in circulation and find their way to the Islands.

A Favorite Prescription
BY THIS PHYSICIAN
NORTH ADAMS, MASS., Oct. 23, 1891.
Dear Sirs,—Enclosed will find one dollar, for which I desire you should send a "box of Chasse-Blanche," as I am unable to obtain it here, and do not wish to be without it, as it has benefited me so much. I am truly grateful to you and also the physician who recommended it to me during a visit in New Hampshire. For a long time I have been treated by several of the best physicians of New England without permanent relief, but this has proved a complete success.

Yours sincerely,
Miss A. J. WARREN.

IT NEVER FAILS.
LAWRENCE, MASS., Nov. 13, 1891.
To the Hub Specialty Medicine Co.:
Dear Sirs,—It gives me pleasure to say a word in favor of your boon to woman, under the name of Chasse-Blanche. It has done me a great deal of good, and it gives me pleasure to recommend it to all my friends; and they all like it that have used it, and say that they never had anything that equalled it for those peculiar diseases of their sex.

Yours very respectfully,
ANNIE THURMANT,
No. 81 Tremont Street.

**Children Cry for
Pitcher's Castoria.**

Wants a Companion This Year.

The "Hermit of the Sonnblick," Peter Lechner, who last year passed the winter months in the observatory on the summit of that lonely peak, now declares that he will not stay there another winter unless he has a companion with him. He would, he says, prefer a wife, if he could find one. Otherwise he will be content with a male companion, who could take turns with him in his constant task of reading the scientific instruments. This decision on the part of the "Hermit of the Sonnblick" really threatens the further existence of the highest observatory in Europe. For the Austrian Meteorological institute lacks the funds to support a companion for Lechner, and the small sum, about £100 a year, that is wanted for the purpose is not forthcoming from private sources.

It is believed that the real explanation of the discontent of Herr Lechner is that he is annoyed at being forgotten by the public, who have neither sent him Christmas presents nor published laudatory paragraphs about him in the newspapers of late. Three years back he said he wanted a wife, and hundreds of offers at once poured in from all quarters, including several rich and many good looking women, but he then laughed at the idea, and continued to prefer the state of single blessedness. It would be a distinct loss to meteorological and physical science if the Sonnblick observatory were to be closed, but some means will probably be found of reconciling Herr Peter to his lonely but lofty labors for another winter.—Vienna Cor. London Standard.

Tithes and the Price of Grain.

The difference between the method of paying the clergy of the Church of England, who receive the tithe as their living, and the clergy of the Church of Scotland, who enjoy what are known in the north as tithes, will be very apparent in this year. On both sides of the Tweed grain prices are higher for the year, but in England the clergy will receive little immediate benefit from the rise, because by the seven years' average it is spread over so long a time that the most that can be hoped for from the good prices of 1891 is to stop the fall which has been going on every year without a break since 1878, a longer period of successive annual declines in the value of the tithe than has ever before occurred.

But in Scotland the tiend is calculated on the grain prices of each year, so that the parish ministers who have endured the discomforts which low prices brought with them when grain was cheap will now have directly the advantages of higher prices when grain has risen. In England both the rise and the fall are retarded by the seven years' average. In Scotland the full effects of either the one or the other are directly experienced in every year.—London Graphic.

Human Beings in the Mammoth Age.

Near Brunn, the capital of Moravia, important discoveries of prehistoric remains have been made which are likely to attract the attention of paleontologists all over the globe. As a canal was being dug 4½ skulls were brought to light of dolichocephalous (long headed) character and of an exceedingly low stage of development. The same place contained bones and teeth of mammoth rhinoceros and reindeer.

Close to the skulls lay more than 500 fossil snails, several calcineous stones, with holes in the middle, a rude figure out of a mammoth's tooth, with a hole running through the middle. This discovery is the first of the kind in Austria and is highly important from being a proof that there were human beings in the mammoth period.—Vienna Cor. London Standard.

Spurious Shawls.

A good deal of indignation has been excited by a discovery recently made by the Calcutta customs of a trade in spurious Cashmere shawls. It appears that large quantities of shawls have been imported into India from Germany, with imitation Cashmere marks on them.

On arrival in Calcutta the shawls are treated by some peculiar process and then sent into the interior and sold there as real Cashmere productions. Their actual cost in Calcutta is about \$5, and they fetch when sold about \$35.—Exchange.

A Winter Charm.

A Wilmington man carries in his vest pocket a piece of skin that was taken from a man's neck and then tanned. He—the Wilmington man, not the other man—claims that the possession of that piece of tanned skin will keep him from slipping on the ice. The boys in the neighborhood are watching him now, to see what virtue there is in the odd charm. The owner of the piece of skin argues that if its possession does not prevent him from falling it will, at least, not cause him to fall.—Wilmington News.

In Charge of One Family Forty Years.

The postoffice at South Deerfield, N. H., has been in charge of one family for forty years. F. J. White was appointed postmaster by President Pierce and held the office for thirty-five years. At the time of his death his son, Charles E., was appointed and held the position until 1888, when another son, W. R. White was appointed, which position he held until the first of the present year.—Exeter Letter.

Supporting the Principle.

Last June a young man was arrested in Natick, Mass., because he would not pay his poll tax, amounting to two dollars, and he has been kept in jail ever since at an expense to the taxpayers of \$1.75 per week. The town is losing money on the transaction, but it is vindicating an eternal principle with great success.—New York Tribune.

Government Control of Telephones.

At the end of next year the Telephone Company of Austria will cease to exist, the government assuming control of all the telephone lines in the kingdom.—New York Journal.

A Woman Worth Over \$300,000.

Sixty thousand dollars in cash and bank books representing \$300,000 were found at Lyme, Conn., recently. They are the hidden wealth belonging to the late Mrs. Jane Kingsbury, who was supposed, to be poor.

Attorney Cunningham and a Mr. Griswold came across several bankbooks concealed in a chest in a spare bedroom. They were found in bureau drawers which had not been used to the knowledge of the other persons in the house for years.

The books represented deposits amounting to about \$300,000. The search was continued and \$60,000 in money was found hidden in different places.

Of this sum \$14,000 was in gold pieces in denominations ranging from one dollar to fifty dollars. The balance was in currency. It was all hidden in the bottoms of trunks, bureau drawers and beds.

How Mrs. Kingsbury hoarded this money is a mystery to every one familiar with her manner of living. What her income was no one knows, but it was always thought she lived up to it.

Years ago Mrs. Kingsbury, who was the wife of Major Kingsbury and mother-in-law of ex-Governor Buckner, of Kentucky, figured in a series of lawsuits in this state and Kentucky. They lasted for twelve years.—Cor. New York Sun.

Chess by Telephone.

A novel use of the telephone has been made in England on the occasion of a chess match between the British Chess club in London and the Liverpool Chess club. All the moves were made by telephone, the transmitter having a nickel plated mouthpiece and being of the gannular type which is specially fitted for long distance talk. Two games were played simultaneously, the first being lost by the London club, and the second, which lasted more than seven hours, being a draw.

A very amusing incident happened when London, at 7 p. m., proposed an adjournment of the game over the dinner hour, and board No. 2 at the same time offered a draw. Both offers were declined by Liverpool with thanks, an answer which was received with shouts of laughter by the members of the London club, who had mustered in great force for the occasion.

"We heard you laugh," was the message sent at once by the Liverpool men, much to the amusement of the London audience. At the conclusion of the second game a return match was arranged for the following Saturday, with a time limit of twelve moves per hour, and a hearty cheer was given by London and responded to by Liverpool.—Pittsburg Dispatch.

A New Aluminium Alloy.

The Aluminium Brass and Bronze company announces a new metal which is exceedingly tough, very ductile, and when either hard or soft drawn into wire possesses an extremely tensile strength. For ordinary steel annealed it is 86,000 pounds per square inch, and for hard drawn 136,000 pounds per square inch. Its ductility is such that the annealed wire will stand 124 twists in six inches and the hard drawn wire thirty twists.

It solders with facility with resin, chloride of zinc or any of the ordinary solders and fluxes. In electrical resistance comparing this new metal, ordinary copper taken as one, German silver is thirteen and the new metal is thirty five. It is this qualification that makes it valuable for resistance work in dynamo machinery and all electrical apparatus. Its specific gravity is about the same as copper, which it resembles as to finish.—Mechanical World.

Advertising on Letters.

The idea of advertising by means of what purports to be misdirected private post cards has apparently been improved upon (like many of our ideas) in the United States. A lady tells me that she recently received from her son in America a letter, on the envelope of which was written in writing closely resembling that of the address. "Read the last number of the Review." On inquiry it appeared that the son had not written this inscription, which had therefore been added (presumably) in the post-office. It is to be hoped that this Yankee notion will not "catch on" in this country; but I take it that most of our postoffice clerks have their time too well occupied to permit of their undertaking to inscribe advertisements on the letters which pass through their hands.—London Truth.

A Boy Attacked by Muskrats.

When a Marion (O.) boy attempted to kill a muskrat caught in a steel trap a few days ago the animal showed fight, and as it gave a death wail the banks of the creek seemed to be fairly alive with the little animals as they came to the assistance of their companion. The boy was attacked on all sides, and was getting badly scratched and bitten, when his dog, which had been chasing a rabbit, came to his assistance and proceeded to battle with the enraged animals. In less than five minutes seventeen of the muskrats were lying around dead, while the rest scampered to a place of safety.—Exchange.

Curiosities in Arizona.

Parties out deer hunting ran across an old ruin on the top of the highest mountain nine miles north of Phoenix. It is of stone, and some of the walls are still standing ten feet high. The old building or buildings covered an area of about two acres of land. The large stones around the place are covered with hieroglyphics.—Phoenix (A. T.) Gazette.

Bolivia, with improved transportation, will send large quantities of coffee and rubber to the seaboard. The new railway being built to the headwaters of the Amazon will greatly facilitate such transportation.

While a traveling man was in Lima, O., recently, he received within fifteen minutes three telegrams, each announcing the unexpected death of a different member of his family at home.

A very estimable widow has a son who is far from estimable. Evil companions have corrupted the good manners he once had, and the ravages of dissipation are already becoming visible. His poor mother is nearly broken-hearted. She was confiding her troubles one day to an old and trusted friend.

"I am afraid," said her friend, "that you are not firm enough with John; you are too easy with him."

"On the contrary," I am sometimes afraid that I am too harsh."

"Why, what have you ever done?"

"Oh, I haven't done anything, but I have talked to him a great deal."

"What have you said?"

"Why, I have said, 'John! John! and other severe things.'—Youth's Companion.

Hood's Pills act especially upon the liver, rousing it from torpidity to its natural duties, cure constipation and assist digestion.

The trust help can render to an afflicted man is, not to take his burden from him, but to call out his best strength that he may be able to bear the burden.

It is easy enough to find plenty of men who think the world owes them a living, but hard to find a chap who is willing to own up that he has collected the debt in full.

Teacher: "We cut grass now with mowing machine; before that men used the scythe; what went before that?"

Dicks Hicks: "Nebuchadnezzar used his teeth."—Brooklyn Life.

He took her hand tenderly. "A ring would look sweet on that little finger," he said—"an engagement ring."

"It isn't the fashion to wear engagement rings on the little finger," she replied, drawing her hand away.—Harper's Bazar.



Dep. Sheriff Wheeler
Does Not Care to Live
If He Cannot Have

HOOD'S
Sarsaparilla

Sarsaparilla

It would be difficult to find a man better known in the vicinity of Burlington, Vt., than Mr. R. D. Wheeler of Winoski Falls, the efficient Deputy Sheriff of Burlington county. He says:

"C. I. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass.:
"Dear Sirs: If Hood's Sarsaparilla cost

\$10.00 a Bottle

I should still keep using it, as I have for the past ten years. With me the question as to whether life is worth living depends upon whether I can get Hood's Sarsaparilla. I don't think I could live without it now, certainly I should not wish to, and suffer as I used to for over ten years. I suffered the horrors of the damned with

Sciatic Rheumatism
for if ever a man suffers with anything in this world it is with that awful disease. It seems to me as if all other physical suffering were compressed into that one. I took about everything man ever tried for it but never got a dollar's worth of help until I began taking

Hood's Sarsaparilla

I have taken it now pretty regularly for ten years and have no more pain and can get around all right. I have advised a good many to try Hood's Sarsaparilla. R. D. WHEELER, Deputy Sheriff, Winoski Falls, Vt.

Hood's Pills Cure Liver Ills

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, ss.
At a Probate Court holden at Cambridge in and for said County of Middlesex, on the Second day of February in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-two.

That the petition of William Herbert Folsom of Newton in said County, praying that his name be changed to that of William Gray Folsom, public notice having been given, according to the order of Court, that all persons might appear and show cause, if any they had, why the same should not be granted, and it appearing that the reason given therefor is sufficient and consistent with the public interest, and being satisfactory to the Court, and no objection being made.

It is decreed that his name be changed, as prayed for, to that of William Gray Folsom which name he shall hereafter bear, and which shall be his legal name, and that he give public notice of said change by publishing this decree one week for three successive weeks in the newspaper called the Newton Graphic printed at Newton and make return to this Court under oath that such giving has been given, and

GEORGE M. BROOKS, Judge of Probate Court

NOTICE IN HEREBY GIVEN
That the Subscriber has been duly appointed Executor of the will of Mary Dwyer late of Newton in the County of Middlesex, deceased, testate, and has taken upon himself that trust by giving bonds, as the law directs. All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are required to exhibit the same, and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to

MICHAEL DWYER, Executor.

February 11th, 1892.

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GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twenty sixth day of January in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-two.

J. H. TYLER, Register.

Newton National Bank

NEWTON, MASS.
BUSINESS HOURS:
From 9 A. M., to 12 M., and from 2 to 4 P. M.
On Saturdays, from 9 A. M., to 2 P. M.
B. FRANKLIN BACON, President
B. FRANKLIN BACON, Cashier.

NEWTON SAVINGS BANK.

INCORPORATED 1831.
Bank Hours: From 9 a. m. to 12 m., and from 2 to 4 p. m.; on Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 1 p. m.
Office in the Newton National Bank Building.

JAMES F. C. HYDE, President.
JOHN WARD, Vice President.
ADOLPHUS J. BLANCHARD, Treas.

Trustees: Joseph N. Bacon, James F. C. Hyde, Dustin Lacey, Francis Muldock, Wm. Henry Brackett, Saml. M. Jackson, Wm. D. Charles E. Billings, William C. Strong, Charles A. Minor, Elliott J. Hyde John Ward and Chas. T. Pulsifer.

COMMITTEE OF INVESTMENT:
James F. C. Hyde, Samuel M. Jackson, Francis Muldock, Chas. A. Minor, Clerk and Auditor.
Interest begins on deposits on the first days of January, April, July and October.

West Newton Savings Bank

Incorporated 1837.
West Newton, Mass.
AUSTIN R. MITCHELL, President.
JAMES H. NICKERSON, Treasurer.
ALFRED L. BARBOUR, Clerk.

Trustees—Austin R. Mitchell, Benj. F. Houghton, Dwight Chester, Edward L. Pickard, Prescott C. Brigham, Samuel Barnard, Fred E. Crockett, Alfred L. Barbour, Edward W. Cate, Adams K. Tolman, C. F. Eddy, F. E. Hunter.

Committee of Investment—Austin R. Mitchell, Edward L. Pickard, Dwight Chester, Samuel Barnard, Fred E. Crockett.
Open for business, daily, 8.30 to 11 a. m., 1.30 to 4 p. m.
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ite for descriptive circulars giving full particulars.

CITY GOVERNMENT.

A SHORT MEETING OF THE BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

The board of aldermen met Monday evening, President Harbach occupying the chair, in the absence of Mayor Hibbard. All the other members were present.

A communication was received from Michael Tighe, stating that he was struck by a loose tub, white on a stage over the sewer, and severely injured, the accident being due to defective lock on the bucket, defective engine, and inefficient engineer and supervision. The communication was referred to the committee on claims.

The annual reports of the overseers of the poor and the chief of the fire department were received and filed for publication.

The Newton Veteran Firemen's Association, petitioned for the free use of City Hall, for the concert, Tuesday evening, March 8, and on motion of Alderman Hyde the petition was granted.

Residents of Prospect street, West Newton, petitioned for 4 street lights. S. E. Howard and some 38 other taxpayers remonstrated against any license for the erection of poles for wires on Winthrop, Temple, Putnam and Prince streets, being granted.

A petition was received from W. B. Dennison for a street light on Lowell street near Edinboro street.

A Lord petitioned for a license for a sparring match, to be given by the High School Athletic Association, March 1, and the license was granted, the exhibition to be under the supervision of the head master of the school.

On motion of Alderman Hyde the public property committee were authorized to advertise for proposals for a horse house and police station at Nonantum, according to plans drawn by Kendall & Stevens, architects.

On motion of Alderman Coffin the highway committee was authorized to expend \$375 in the purchase of two horses, to be charged to highway general repairs, and also to dispose of two or three old horses, the money received for the same to be covered into the city treasury.

On motion of Alderman Coffin a long order was passed giving up certain land in Needham and taking other land in exchange, for the purpose of straightening boundaries, the land being for the water supply of Newton.

On motion of Alderman Sheppard \$500 was appropriated for the use of the committee on claims in settling small claims against the city.

E. E. Barnham was granted an in-hooper's license.

On motion of Alderman Wilson \$76,000 was appropriated for the city expenses during March.

Alderman Coffin presented the petition of the Newton Street Railway Company for license to put up poles on Walnut street from Crafts street to the southern side of the B. & A. railroad, for the Newton & Boston street railway company. Referred to the license committee.

On motion of Alderman Hyde, \$700 was transferred from any balance in the city treasury, and added to the public property appropriation, to pay for the contract for heating and ventilating the Waban school house. Mr. Hyde explained that the money was appropriated last year, but it had been kept until the work could be thoroughly tested. The public property committee had turned over some \$1000 to the city treasury at the end of the year.

On motion of Alderman Hyde, \$2650 was appropriated, to be taken from the next assessment of taxes, to pay for the sanitary annex to the high school building. The work had been commenced last year, under orders of the board of health, and had not been reported as it was impossible to know just how much was to be done. It kept growing in amount until it reached the sum now asked for. The work was done by order of the school board and was now completed; the school was overcrowded, but now all that will ever be needed in this line has been done.

In order to make more room at the high school the superintendent's office is to be moved to the Claffin school building.

The committee on elections, on motion of Alderman Coffin, were authorized to procure voting stalls, ball-boxes, etc., for the new voting precincts in wards one, three and six.

Simon Shaughnessy was granted a license to build a barn on Washington street, ward two.

The reports of the board of health and of the free library for 1891 were received and filed for printing.

The board then adjourned.

ASSESSMENTS LEVIED.

BOARD OF HEALTH APPROVE THE ANNUAL REPORT.

At the regular meeting of the Board of Health, held Monday afternoon at City Hall, President Otis Petrie presided and all the members were present except Dr. Baker who arrived during the meeting. The records were read by the clerk and approved, and the first business was to take from the table the order levying betterment assessments upon the abutters of the Mague meadows.

Mr. Wiswall believed it advisable to make some changes previous to a passage of the order. He thought the assessment on the Henry A. Gane property was too small for the benefit which it would derive from the drainage of the Mague meadows. The location would probably be favorable to a good class of residents and land prices would accordingly be higher. The property of T. F. Mague on the other hand, for building purposes was not as materially benefited and the location was less desirable. He thought the assessment on the latter should be reduced.

Alderman Sheppard opposed making any changes. The assistance of disinterested real estate men had been obtained by the board in apportioning the assessments and in defence of any suits which might grow out of these assessments he believed the judgement of these men would have some weight.

It was further stated that some contests would undoubtedly be an outcome of the apportionment and the legalities of the apportionment, serving of notices etc., were further discussed.

A vote to lay the order on the table until the arrival of an absent member was then passed.

The annual report was submitted by the clerk of the Board.

Thirty meetings have been held during the year, eight of them being field meetings. During the latter visits, have been made to the Newton Cottage Hospital, the Mague piggery, Boyd's pond, Laundry brook and different sections of the city. The drains for the drainage of the Mague meadows have been put in this

year at an expense of about \$17,000 and the work is now nearly completed. The drain is also a great aid in the surface drainage of this section of the city.

The prevalence of malaria, especially along the banks of the Charles river, was mentioned and the need of combined action with other cities and towns along its course towards an abatement of this disease. The cause is largely attributed to the alternate rise and fall of the river occasioned by the Boston Manf. Co. of Waltham using its water. The great popularity of the Charles as a resort for boating emphasizes the importance of action.

The work of removing and disposing of house offal is yearly increasing and it is only a question of time when it will be necessary for the city to assume control of the matter. A crematory for its disposal is recommended.

The establishment of a milk depot for the sale of sterilized milk should receive the attention of the city as a means of abating disease. Colera infantum is quite prevalent, and thirteen deaths have been caused the past year probably emanating from milk containing disease.

The report made a year ago recommending changes in the construction of the contagious wards of the Newton Cottage Hospital is embodied in the annual report. The board recommended referring the ventilation to a committee and suggested the indirect system. Nothing has been done and the ventilation of the diphtheria and scarlet fever wards has been pronounced inadequate by the state authorities when the wards are full. A diet kitchen and laundry were constructed in connection with the small pox ward by request of the board, and the ventilation by fireplaces can easily be supplemented by the introduction of hot water heating. For the contagious wards a brick vault for disinfecting clothing was recommended, but has not yet been constructed.

The results so far obtained such as improved ventilation in the Gorgia Leeson ward emphasize the necessity of continuing the changes recommended.

The finances of the hospital have been such the past year that undoubtedly many of the changes have been delayed from lack of funds.

Four cases of glanders have occurred, in all of which prompt action was taken by the board.

On Alderman Sheppard's motion the report was accepted.

The petition of Arthur L. Coe and others, and David T. Inglis and others, relative to the drainage of the Mague meadows were placed on file.

Dr. Baker referred to the need of prompt action in securing proper ventilation at the old Claffin school and offered an order that the state inspector be requested to examine the sanitary and ventilating appliances of all the school houses and other public buildings with the agent and report to the board at as early a date as possible.

The list of abutters assessed on the Mague meadow drainage and the assessments levied on each is as follows:

Henry A. Gane, \$1,000; S. S. Kilburn, \$500; Thomas F. Mague, \$700; Michael McDonald, \$550; R. M. Poirer, \$400; Benjamin L. White, Harris heirs, Robert Gaw, Joanna Mullen heirs, each \$300; Hannah F. Gonnnow, J. H. Wall and George E. Smith, Martin Hughes, Michael Bernie, each \$200; David F. Inglis, \$225; Warren Davis heirs, Patrick Connors heirs, Mary Ryan heirs, J. Upham Smith, each \$150; Nathaniel T. Allen; Mary A. Carter, Charles H. Stacey, Joanna Deavie, each \$150; Frederick Cohears, \$125; Abbie F. Humphrey, Henry H. Hunt, Henry C. Fletcher, Clara S. Puffer, James Hutchins, James Coleman, Thomas Harney, David J. McBride, Margaret Strout, Patrick Drennan, Anna M. Gibbons heirs, P. O'Neil heirs, Ellen McGourty, Catharine Davis, Thomas McGavin, each \$100; Nellie W. Hall, Martin Harney, James J. McMan, William Michael, Michael Glynn, William Glancy, John Brady, Patrick Martin, John L. Quilly, each \$75; Nancy M. Fisher, Lydia E. Craft, C. M. Whittlesey, J. A. Williams, David Donald, Francis L. Willard, Joanna Coleman, Ann Rotchford, John J. Gannon, John J. and Patrick H. Gannon, James Lahey, each \$50; John Davis, \$25.

A PRESIDENT SECURED.

"RELATION OF DOCTRINE TO LIFE" BY REV. F. N. PELLOUBET, D. D.

The February meeting of the Newton Congregational Club was held Monday evening at the Second church, West Newton.

Caterer Paxton prepared the material festivities as usual 132 persons occupying seats at the tables, and at seven o'clock the club was called to order by Rev. Edward E. Strong, vice-president.

The initiatory prayer was offered by Rev. Mr. Cobb, followed by music from the male quartet of the Newton Highlands church.

Rev. Mr. Strong said the gentleman elected president at the January meeting should be in his place, but all efforts to induce him to accept the presidency had proved unavailing.

Mr. Charles E. Eddy in his own behalf expressed pleasure in the opportunity to thank the club for the honor they would confer upon him, but he should have to positively decline to serve.

The resignation was accepted and letters were appointed preparatory to balloting for the third time this year, for president.

While waiting for the tellers the suggestion of the executive committee made at the last meeting to increase the club membership from 150 to 175 was acted upon, and the membership limit fixed at 175 after some discussion.

The outlook committee reported and a few words eulogistic of Deacon Rufus W. Kendall were embodied.

The report on balloting showed the total number of ballots, fifty, of which Mr. Austin G. Sherman of the Central church, Newtonville, received forty-one votes.

Mr. Sherman at first declined the position. The Central church had been honored by the club within a few years and the honor certainly ought to be conferred upon some member of the Eliot church.

His honor, personally, was greatly appreciated, but he could not devote the time he should wish to the duties of the office.

Hon. Mr. Gilman speaking for Eliot church said the members of that church would most cordially support Mr. Sherman of the Central church if he would accept.

Mr. Sherman was finally prevailed upon to accept and took his place upon the platform.

A communication from the Old Colony Congregational Club invited the club to send two delegates to represent them at the Fellowship meeting to be held in Brockton, and President A. G. Sherman and vice-president E. E. Strong were chosen with power of substitution.

Rev. F. N. Pellobet, D. D., of Auburn, delivered the address of the evening taking for his subject, "The Relation of Doctrine to Life."

In relation to doctrine there are two facts which become evident to everyone. There are beliefs in things which effect the life, and side by side with these are beliefs in things which are not practiced, and which fail to affect one's life.

Man was represented by the speaker as the central figure hemmed on the one side by saintly possibilities reaching toward angelic things, and on the other side the less noble possibilities of man becoming brutish as a devil.

The summing up of the life of an angel may be represented by Love. On the other hand the devil in man to may be represented by thorough selfishness only. Man is equally capable of becoming filled with love and the attending nobility of character or of becoming thoroughly selfish.

The saint, a step between man and the highest aim, contains a greater proportion of love and noble aspiration and a lesser degree of selfishness, while the half way step between man and thorough selfishness contains more of the latter and a smaller amount of the former.

The angel represents man as controlled by high aims with intellectual power to absorb and reason out original objects, but selfishness is in the control of desire only, with low aims and beliefs in personal wants.

The belief of the spectator is a "sensible" belief which has no influence on the life of man. There are practical beliefs which do not affect one's life. A gardener may believe in sunshine and warmth and in choice seeds. Another believes in rain and moisture. The two cannot work the same garden.

A strong partisan politician cannot believe and work in his opponent's caucus. Each works out his belief in his own manner with perfect harmony.

But there are things in which persons of opposite belief may work together, men of different religious beliefs, or a religious man and an infidel may join in a temporary reform movement and work harmoniously, but they cannot join with the runner. Those things in which one is trained and which become a strong belief affect the life of man and a speculative belief may become regenerative and effect the life.

The discussion was participated in by Rev. Theodore J. Holmes, Rev. J. M. Dutton, Mr. H. A. Brigham of the Congregationalist, Boston, and Rev. H. J. Patrick.

INDIAN APPROPRIATIONS.

A VIGOROUS PROTEST AGAINST THE CUTTING DOWN OF MONEY FOR INDIAN EDUCATION.

To the Editor of the Springfield Republican: Congress proposes to cut down Indian appropriations from the amount asked for by the commissioner. There are wise retrenchments. Is this one? Is it because Indian affairs have not progressed that it is proposed to cut down Indian appropriations? The country knows that these affairs have never been so prosperous. Is it because the Indians are educated, the whole nation and agency business will be scattered to the winds and the Indians come to be a wealth-producing, tax-paying people?

To do away with the agencies will do away with an immense expenditure and a petty tyranny wholly at variance with American ideas of human rights and opportunities? Ah, yes; but how much these places and salaries help the wretched Indians! To do away with the agencies will do away with one means of party corruption on both sides. Is it because the present Congress proposes to cut down the appropriations for Indian education?

The money to be appropriated is largely the Indian's own money which the nation, as guardian, is bound to spend for what will do them the greatest good. The present Congress proposes to cut down the appropriations for Indian education. Our education makes them free, ready to use their own money themselves, as we do, to come out of wardship. Is this why Congress proposes to cut down the appropriations for Indian education?

This present vigorous carrying forward of Indian education commends itself to Americans as a laudable, common-sense, patriotic approval. It is economy that nations should give place to wages and idleness to industry among thousands of spirited people, who, being in about the ratio of one to 200 of us, have had the courage and the power to make us and the cheapest way to do them justice. Our whole-souled faith is in popular education. We delight in finding that even savages are transformed by its benignant power. We know that we stand where we do today among the nations in consequence of this same active faith in "the betterment of souls." Is it the present Congress proposes to cut down Indian appropriations? Is it to come before the people as a Congress not believing in education?

FRANCIS C. SPARKS, NEWTON CENTRE, FEBRUARY 8, 1892.

What's That?

I met a little person on my land.
A fellow in the waters of my stream;
He seemed a man, yet could not understand
Things that to me were very simple seem.

"Get out!" said I. "This land is mine, my friend."
"Get out!" said I. "This brook belongs to me. I own this land, and you must make an end of fishing here so free!"

"I own this place, the land and water too!
You have no right to be here, that is flat!
Get out of this land, and I'll be at you."
"Own it!" said he, "what's that?"

"What's that?" said I. "Why, that is common sense!
I own the water and the fishing right—
I own the land from here to yonder fence—
Get out, my friend, or fight!"

He looked at the clear stream so neatly kept—
He noted at leasting the old Indian tree,
And wealthy fields of grain that stirred and slept—
"I see!" he cried, "I see!"

"You mean you own the wood and plowed the field,
From your farm labor all this beauty grew—
To you is due the richness of the yield—
You have some claim 'tis true!"

"Not so!" said I, with manner very cool,
And tossed my purse into the air and caught:
"Do I look like a laborer, you fool?
It is mine because I bought it!"

Again he looked as if I talked in Greek,
He noted at leasting his own head and hat
Before he muttered with enough to speak—
"Bought it!" said he, "what's that?"

And then he said again, "I see! I see!
You mean that some men toiled with plows and
And while those worked for you you toiled with
glee
At other work for those!"

"Not so!" said I, getting a little hot,
Thinking the man a fool as well as funny,
"I'm not a working man, you fool!
I bought it with my money!"

And still that creature stood and dropped his jaw,
Till I could have destroyed him where he sat;
"None!" said I, "none!" and moved him flat.
"None!" said he, "none!" and moved him flat.

CHARLOTTE PERKINS STEVENSON.

BOOKS AND MAGAZINES.

The Atlantic for March has a story by Kate Douglas Wiggin, "A Village Watch-Tower," an essay by Agnes Repplier on "The Children's Poets," "Don'ts About University Extension" by Professor Palmer of Harvard, and "An Old English Township," by the Rev. Brooke Herford, all of special interest to New England readers from their subject matter and authorship.

Marion Harland's account of the historic town of Williamsburg, Va., the scene of the great Washington's first love affair in early colonial days, will appear in the Feb. 17 issue of Harper's Weekly.

The "Mrs. Wouter Van Twiller" papers in the Bazar are capital commentaries on the social features of life in Gotham.

Among the important contributions to the February Wide Awake is the last story ever written by Eliot McCormick, one of New York's promising newspaper men, untimely cut off by death scarcely six months since. His story "The Sign of the Prophet Jonah" is bright, natural and entertaining, and will interest every boy and girl who knows and admires Bret Harte's poem about the lost children of Greyport.

Scribner's Magazine for February contains eight illustrated articles representing the work of Robert Blum, W. L. Metcalf, Irving L. Wiles, J. H. T. Taylor, W. L. Taylor, and other skillful artists. In the group of Australian articles there is a picturesque description of pastoral life on the great sheep ranches peculiar to that country, fully illustrated from drawings by Birge Harrison, who has but recently returned from that region. The group on Practical Chemistry is represented in this issue by "A Model Working-Girls' Club," the Polytechnic Young Women's Institute, of London, described by Dr. Albert Shaw, a close student of social and economic questions. The work to which the revenue-cutter service of the United States is assigned during the winter months in relieving vessels in distress, is described by Lieutenant Perry W. Thompson, of the cutter Dexter, and some of the most notable rescues are pictured by Samuel A. Wood.

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(Boston Post.)

The Coal Trade.

Very few people are so simple-minded as to accept the story which was sent out with the announcement of the new coal combination that the purpose was that of economizing the cost of production in the interest of the consumer.

This is not the end for which trusts are created. They are formed for the purpose of taking more money from the public than their members could take when acting independently. And the methods of the trusts, by which this is done, are the crushing out of competition, the restriction of production and the "regulation" of prices—by which is meant the placing of prices at the highest notch which the public will bear.

There have been combinations in the anthracite coal business before this one, and they have had more or less success in squeezing the public on one hand and the miners on the other. The late Franklin B. Gowen had a vision of a vast consolidated monopoly, but he did not realize his dream and died by his own hand in a Washington hotel. And to-day the wires bring the news of the death of Ludwig Marx, who sunk a great fortune in this scheme of Gowen's, just as the idea became a reality.

But none of the former coal combinations approached the magnitude of the new trust. Nearly three-fourths of the entire business is brought under one control; and this means practically the control of the whole.

It is a vast machine for the manipulation of an article of universal use and necessity among the people, and its effect is greatly to be feared.

The only hope is that it may go to pieces as its predecessors have done; or that the laws which we have may be found applicable to its restraint. But the law is slow and uncertain, and in these days are craftily managed, and if relief is to come it is more likely to be found in another direction.

There is no doubt, considering the increase in the use of bituminous coal, that the removal of the duty upon this article would do much to protect the public. It would at least encourage the use of a substitute for the article which the great monopoly controls.

Further than this, it is impossible to anticipate a remedy. But it is certain that the people will find one. For combinations to control those things which are necessary to existence will not long be tolerated.

(Boston Herald.)

Gov. Ames and Mr. Hume.

Ex-Gov. Ames does not propose to be throttled on the tariff question. He knows that the business interests which he represents, and which others represent, would be vastly improved by a reduction or a removal of the tax on raw materials. It was, perhaps, unfortunate for him to select the tax on cigars as an instance of the injustice of the McKinley bill, although undoubtedly that tax is a decidedly objectionable one. But there was both common sense, economic soundness, and, we will add, high principle, in the position of ex-Gov. Ames when compared with that of Mr. Hume, the president of the New England Club, who loved him, and who said: "Your iron industry, your cigar industry, your paper industry are of no account. You will get dollars enough. What we want in this country is firm adherence to questions of principle." This was very fine as a piece of political buncombe; but it meant nothing. The principle Mr. Hume was supporting was that which taxes sixty odd millions of people for the purpose of increasing the profits of a few hundred thousand. It may be that Gov. Ames' iron industry, from the standpoint of the high protectionist, is of no account; but it is clearly not Mr. Carnegie's iron industry, nor the iron industry of the syndicate of Pennsylvania, for this has for nearly a generation controlled the construction of our tariff schedules.

(Boston Transcript.)

Ex-Governor Ames' speech to the Middlesex Club, last night, will attract more attention than all the others made on the occasion, although, unlike Mr. Isaac H. Bromley, Mr. Ames did not attempt to gild the Republican past with rhetorical beauties, or essay an elaborate review of the fundamental differences between the two parties, as did Hon. Warner Miller. The ex-governor, in his common sense, direct and forcible way, said that the Republicans went too far in passing the McKinley bill and raising the duties all along the line, when the preceding campaign was conducted on the idea of reducing duties. Mr. Ames uttered a solemn truth when he said that "there is no sanctity in a duty." Argued it can, without violating any economic or moral law, be decreased at any time. The tenor of ex-Governor Ames' speech was altogether against the bill, as framed by McKinley and Reed, and on that account it will have considerable effect, as its author is known to have extensive experience in certain industrial branches. There are thousands upon thousands of Republicans in the North who believe with our ex-governor that the Fifty-first Congress went too far when it adopted a tariff bill framed to bolster up certain favored interests.

A Put-up Job.

Eustis Russell, the heir apparent of Massachusetts, has just come to light as a strict constructionist.

He took a very lively interest in the fast state campaign, and although he is not yet old enough to read the political news in the daily papers, he asked questions enough of his father and other members of the family to form a comforting, if somewhat biased, opinion of the situation.

His interest and excitement culminated on election day, and it was only after a good deal of persuasion and by whispering some mysterious sentence into his ear that his nurse could induce him to go to bed at all.

The night after the election Eustis was up very early. He came down into the dining room and sat there very quietly all alone. By and by his gubernatorial ad appeared.

He said, "Good morning, Eustis," but the heir apparent made no answer. Instead he got gravely up and circled about his astonished father, surveying him from head to foot.

"What is the matter, Eustis," asked the Governor, uneasily. "Is there any-

thing wrong with my coat? Is my tie coming up behind? Do you see any smut on my nose?"

"No, pop," said the son in a disappointed tone. "But you did any bigger today than you were yesterday. Nurse said last night if I went to bed early I'd wake up this morning and find you the biggest man in Massachusetts. I think she fooled me."—Boston Herald.

Reciprocity With Canada.

(Boston Transcript.)

It can be stated that neither the President nor the secretary is very anxious to oblige the Canadian officials, as they have repeatedly interfered to prevent our Government from concluding a treaty with Newfoundland, and acting in an unfriendly manner with respect to seal fisheries in Alaskan waters. Still, it is believed in Washington that there is a chance something important will grow out of the present negotiations. The bungling diplomacy in South America, and especially the crowning blunder of intentionally bringing the country to the verge of war after Chile's apology had arrived in Washington, has been so unprofitable and unpopular that an attempt to retrieve the foreign affairs' record of the Administration by important negotiations making for peace and trade is altogether desirable and quite legitimate as politics.

The Springfield Republican says:—The western makers of agricultural implements seem to regard with indifference the bill proposed in the House removing the duties on these manufactures. They point out that they are already successfully competing with foreigners in the latter's markets, and in that case they ought to be able to hold their own markets, however free trade may be.

BOSTON AMUSEMENTS.

COLUMBIA THEATRE.—The company playing in "The Lost Paradise" at the Columbia Theatre has become very popular, and Boston theatregoers have learned to look upon the organization as a home stock company. The great favor shown several of the leaders of the company, and one or two who play comparatively insignificant parts, whenever they appear, proves that they have been adopted and will ever be welcome here. "The Lost Paradise," with its blending of a love story of exceeding interest with the great problem of capital versus labor, seems to hold the attention of theatregoers, who come to see the new theatre and enjoy the greatest success of the season in its line of dramatic achievement. The run of "The Lost Paradise" is, however, limited, and those who desire seats should procure them at once.

TREMONT THEATRE.—In the late history of the stage there have been many noteworthy and just; careful, and consistently truthful productions of historical and other great dramas. Therefore, as in few other cases upon record of late years, Miss Wainwright's production of "Amy Robsart" at the Tremont, beginning with the extra matinee of Monday, Feb. 22, (Washington's Birthday), is entitled to the deepest consideration. This romantic historical drama, "Amy Robsart," during October and September last, had so successful a run at Palmer's Theatre, New York, that Miss Wainwright's engagement there was twice extended. All the New York critics united in proclaiming this to be the most sumptuous and artistic setting ever given to a romantic drama. The play itself is of absorbing interest, and abounds in thrilling situations. Miss Wainwright, as Amy, has achieved greater individual success than ever before, and she is supported by an excellent company.

BOSTON THEATRE.—"The Trumpet Call," which has been the reigning melodramatic success in London, is the attraction at the Boston Theatre. The play abounds in numerous striking dramatic situations and is a rare treat. There are four acts and over a dozen elaborate stage sets. Among the most elaborate settings are the Woolwich barracks' messroom and the barrack yard during drill guard. Several hundred people are on the stage during the latter scene, presenting a beautiful military picture. There will be an extra matinee Washington birthday.

GLOBE THEATRE.—Few events in the line of light opera productions have been hailed with greater anticipations of delight than the appearance at the Globe Theatre of Miss Lillian Russell and her opera comique company in Audran's "La Cigale," in which this popular prima donna has created such a marked impression. It was the opening attraction at the Lyric Theatre, London, where it held the stage for nearly a year. It was chosen by Manager French as the first of the operatic productions at the New York, at the opening of the fall season, and has just concluded a remarkably successful run of 115 nights at that house. "La Cigale" is an opera which has a story, and its action and incidents are naturally parts of its development. Its three acts have been skilfully planned, and the scenic effects and costumes are especially noteworthy features of the production. Miss Russell is supported by a strong company. There will be an extra matinee on Washington's birthday, Monday, Feb. 22.

HOLLIS STREET THEATRE.—The coming engagement of Mr. James T. Powers at the Hollis, beginning next Monday, is the last in which he will be seen in "A Straight Tip." Mr. McNally has a new play, founded upon a very funny and novel conceit, with a character peculiarly suited to Mr. Powers, and a part which is in the line of Mr. Peter F. Daly's best work. Mr. Powers will star next season in it in Boston, with Mr. Daly as leading support. Those who want to see Mr. Powers, Mr. Daly and the others in "A Straight Tip" must therefore, see them during the present engagement, which begins at the Hollis on the afternoon of Washington's birthday.

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The annual session of the eastern convocation of the Episcopal church was held in Grace Church, Tuesday.

There was a large attendance at the morning services, including many of the clergy, among others Rev. Dr. Hunkins of Concord, Rev. Mr. Prescott of Boston, Rev. Dr. Chambre, Rev. T. E. Fales of Waltham, Rev. Dr. Abbott of Cambridge and Rev. W. H. Rand of Watertown.

The sermon was delivered by Bishop Brooks. He depicted life as a whole. It was made up, he said, of struggles and failures, joys and blessings. It cannot be judged by one phase of wretchedness. There are many temptations, and the individual falters before yielding. God knows all of the struggle and the fall, the miserable momentary yielding, and the pangs of conscience. He may condemn and punish, but he cannot curse. He recognizes the element of good that pleads for resistance.

The good and evil are blended into one conception of what human life is, and the synthesis of the whole, and the necessary for a comprehension of the total life. Those who scoff at religion see only a part, and not the whole truth. They would say miracles do not happen. They have no conception of a majestic being, moving among men. They do not realize the fact that to Him the response of nature was greater than to ordinary men. Nature does not speak in miracles to the ordinary man.

A religious truth by itself, out of position with the whole fabric of truth, does not perhaps impress one. The desperation that comes from human pain may cause men to curse God. He sees a part of life and not the whole. One must insist on seeing the whole. He who lets Christ bear witness that suffering results in making men purer and better must acknowledge the sacredness and perfection of the whole life. He who grasps the whole truth touches God. He cannot curse God.

A celebration of the holy communion followed the sermon, and the benediction was then pronounced by Bishop Brooks.

The musical service was especially interesting, the processional hymn before the sermon, the offertory anthem and the retrograde hymn being rendered by the Grace church choir of men and boys, under the direction of Mr. H. B. Day.

The afternoon exercises commenced at 3 o'clock and until the adjournment, at about 5:30 p. m., the time was occupied by the reading of essays, and addresses on "The Spread of Christian Faith at Home and Abroad" were delivered by Rev. F. B. Allen, Rev. J. B. Wicks and Rev. H. Bedinger.

GOV. RUSSELL.

AT THE GRAND ARMY BANQUET.

There was no better speech at the G. A. R. banquet in Faneuil Hall last week than that of Gov. Russell. We might suppose that he had the Newton Memorial Hall in mind when he said:

"I have often spoken of the education which comes to us younger men from all that recalls the patriotic services of the past.

"To many of us the war, with its glorious purpose, its patriotism and its heroism, was quite beyond our youthful comprehension.

"My recollections of it are as a little child in the primary school picking lint for the soldiers, watching from day to day for the rising of the old flag which meant a victory for our troops and a holiday for us, and then, being one of the thousands of school children who welcomed home the veterans with our songs while we strewed their path with our flowers.

"It was not the privilege of all of us to be in vigorous manhood in those grand days when it was good to live.

"But not the memory, which reminds us of the past, while they do not recall to us personal suffering and unselfish sacrifice, yet they have for us their full meaning and most tender sentiment.

"They constantly teach us the lessons of patriotism, how bravely others met the duty of their day, and how much they suffered for love of country, and how great is the responsibility upon us to maintain in their full vigor our country and its institutions which have been preserved and consecrated by battle and bloodshed.

"Every soldier's monument is not only a fitting tribute to patriotic deeds, but an inspiration for the generations who follow them. Memorial day, filled with loving tender sentiments, the nation's remembrance of the nation's defenders, will forever, in its touching ceremonies, uplift and encourage our people.

"I hail with pleasure everything which recalls this glorious past.

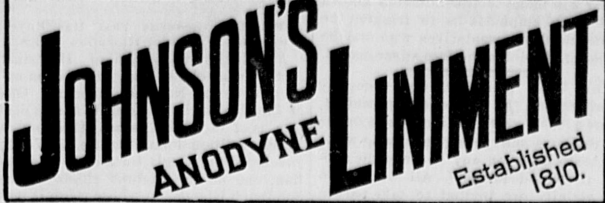
"The time will never come when our Commonwealth can afford to neglect or to forget the education of such memorials.

"We count as a privilege the opportunity of this day, with the thousands, of extending to them the heartiest greeting of the Commonwealth and of catching from their presence the inspiration to try and do our duty as bravely as they have done theirs.

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AN EARLY FORECAST.

It is a little early yet to talk about Congressional candidates in the new Eleventh district, but the Boston Post has been writing up the aspirants for the Republican nomination, and the discussion has some interest.

It is no secret that Gen. W. F. Draper wants the nomination and will do all he can to secure it, but there is no reason that we know of why Newton should do anything to help him secure it. Milford did not help Newton to any great extent when Newton had a candidate, who was in every way the superior of Gen. Draper, and Newton will rather enjoy sitting down and seeing him hustle. Gen. Draper would certainly secure no votes outside of his own party, and his extreme protectionism would lose him many Republican votes.

Edwin U. Curtis of Ward 21, Boston, is said to be in the fight, and as he was formerly city clerk of Boston, he knows the political ropes and is a lively hustler, with a small army of young associates in full sympathy with him.

Besides these two there are other candidates of more liberal sympathies and more statesmanlike qualities, among whom are ex-Senator George Makepeace Towle of Brookline, who is a man of great ability, a good deal of a statesman and noted as an author and lecturer. His course in the senate showed him to possess the right kind of independence, and to be something more than a mere party automaton. He would receive many independent votes, and would stand a good chance of an election.

Representative W. H. Powers of Hyde Park is also understood to be in the list of dark horses, and it was to him that was largely due the passage of a fair redistricting bill last year. He refused to wear Mr. Lodge's collar, and like Mr. Towle has a good deal of independence in his mental make-up. He is a moderate protectionist and either Mr. Towle or Mr. Powers would be stronger in Newton than an extreme McKinley man like Gen. Draper.

The Marlboro Republican, which claims to be the Republican organ of that congressional district, treats Senator Dawes not only with discourtesy, but descends to vulgar abuse in the following:

Grandmother Dawes has begun her campaign for another election to the United States Senate, by having the following printed in nearly all the papers in the state: "During the thirty-five years that Senator Dawes has been in Congress, he has been absent because of sickness but two days, until quite recently, when he had a slight attack of lumbago." It might be added that during all that 35 years he has not done one act that had resulted in any benefit whatever to the state of Massachusetts or to the country. For years his energies and time have been devoted to sentimental gush over the red devils of the western frontier. An Indian cannot be civilized, and Grandmother Dawes has not yet found it out. Dawes has been in his dotage for years, so don't let's hear any more about re-electing him.

Senator Dawes may not cut so great a figure as Senators Quay or Hill, but he has never cast discredit on the state, and his labors for the Indians have been unselfish and productive of good. This much it is only justice to say of him, but we agree with the Marlboro organ in one thing, and that is that the interests of Massachusetts demand that she should have Senators who will look after them more closely than either Senator Dawes or Senator Hoar has done, and if such men had been chosen in the past, our state interests would not have been so utterly disregarded as they have been.

CONGRESSMAN WILLIAMS is making a gallant fight against free silver coinage and his minority report goes right to the point and demolishes the fallacies of the free silver fanatics without mercy. He accuses them of a deliberate attempt to debase the currency by "forcing a depreciated dollar upon the country." This district is fortunate in having a man of Mr. Williams' courage to represent it, the country is also fortunate in having such a man to defend the cause of sound money. His report is in striking contrast to the lame and timid way in which the sound money men in previous Congresses have opposed the free silver men. What the cause of honest money needs is more men in Congress who have the courage of their convictions. It is not to be supposed, however, that Mr. Bland and the other representatives of the silver mine owners will be influenced by any arguments that can be brought forward. The only hope is that the people who favor an honest

dollar will make their sentiments known with such emphasis as to frighten the weak-kneed representatives who may be thinking of joining the free silver crowd.

The Pope manufacturing Company of which Col. A. A. Pope is president, offers \$10,000 worth of bicycles as prizes for the boys and young men who write the best essays on any phase of the subject of "Good Roads." All students in this vicinity are invited to take part in the contest. The essays are to be at least 500 words in length, and must be published in some paper, and the paper sent to the Pope Manufacturing Company with a sealed envelope containing the name and address of the writer, and a statement from the master of a school, that the writer is a pupil in his school. The object of these prizes is to arouse greater interest in the construction and maintenance of highways.

So much has been said of that \$1500 contributed to the Prohibition state committee and Mr. W. H. Partridge, the chairman, has been so severely censured by some Republican politicians, that it is a matter of public interest that the whole affair has at last been cleared up. Mr. James R. Marden was the financial agent of the committee, and at the meeting on Wednesday he appeared and stated that he received the \$1500 and paid it out. The money came from an eminently respectable citizen of the highest character, who made the contribution because of his love for the cause of prohibition, and that in no way, either directly or indirectly, was the money received from any representative, official or unofficial, of the Democratic party. Mr. Marden did not know the politics of the donor.

The case of the Gamewell Fire Alarm Telegraph Company against Messrs. Moses G. Crane and Frederick W. Cole, promises to be a lengthy one. Messrs. S. L. Powers and Moorfield Story appeared for the plaintiffs, in the equity session of the Superior court, Thursday, and Messrs. J. Q. A. Brackett and Samuel J. Elder for the defense. The claim is made that Mr. Crane has violated his contract with the company, by starting another corporation to manufacture police and fire alarm signal apparatus. Mr. Crane was the first witness, and there are a large number of others to be examined.

The Insurance Committee of the legislature are having a lively hearing on the short term endowment societies and the question of winding them all up. Col. E. H. Haskell, representing the Associated Board of trade of Boston favored winding them all up, but the companies had four of the most prominent lawyers in the state to look after their interests. Mr. Keyes of Concord said that he represented the "Forgotten Man," the certificate holders, who were too poor to secure the services of the most distinguished lawyers in the state.

The legislative committee on drainage will give a hearing on sewerage assessments next Thursday at the State House when several orders, among them a plan proposed by Mr. S. L. Powers of this city will be discussed. It is hoped that the people of Newton who are interested in having some equitable plan of assessment adopted will be represented, even if they cannot be present.

SOME of the Newton Delegates to the Democratic Congressional Convention, to elect a delegate to Chicago, say that there is a strong feeling in favor of Mr. W. J. Follett, and they are going to do their best to get him elected. Mr. Follett is an enthusiastic Cleveland man, and that is the sentiment also of the Democrats of Newton.

GOVERNOR RUSSELL approves of the bill to pay the governor of the state an adequate salary but he does not believe in having it apply to this year. Governor Russell is not a salary-grabber.

THE REPUBLICAN STATE CONVENTION to nominate delegates to Minneapolis has been called for April 20.

DIED.

AVERY—At Newtonville 12th inst. Sarah S. Avery, widow of Elisha L. Avery, late of Brooklyn, N. Y.

RIGGLOW—At Newton Feb. 19, 1892. Matilda A. widow of the late Henry Rigglow, M. D. aged 73 years, 10 months. Funeral Monday Feb. 20, at 2 p. m. from late residence. Burial private.

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THE MILLION DOLLAR MANTLE.

A Priceless Gem That Has Enveloped the Forms of Hawaiian Kings. A valuable collection of Hawaiian feather war cloaks and capes is on exhibition at the National museum. One of the cloaks, the largest in the collection, is of immense value. It is known as the "million dollar mantle." It once enveloped the kingly form of Kekuakua, one of the highest chiefs of the Sandwich islands, in whose reign it was completed nearly a hundred years after it was begun. Upon the death of Kekuakua, who fell in battle, it became the property of his enemy, King Kamehameha III, by whom it was presented to Captain J. H. Aulick, of the United States navy.

The foundation of this most remarkable cloak is a network of olona or "native hemp," and to it are attached by threads of the same material feathers of native birds found only in the Hawaiian islands. The entire body of the mantle is made up of small red and yellow feathers, the latter ones being obtained from the Oo or Uho (Moo nobilis), a bird extremely rare and possessing but one or two of these yellow feathers which are found under the wings. This bird is captured alive by means of the "lime trap," and when deprived of the precious feathers is set at liberty. Great prize is put on these feathers by the crown. They are used as money in buying and selling, and are accepted by the government in payment of taxes. The red feathers are obtained from the most abundant bird of the islands, the Drepanis coccinea.

In the "million dollar mantle" the feathers are placed so as to overlap, thus giving a smooth surface to the exterior of the cloak. The upper and lateral borders of the mantle are decorated with alternate tufts of red, yellow and black feathers, but only on the margin are the black feathers used, which are obtained from the Uho. In the center of the mantle is a large crescent shaped figure of yellow feathers, surrounded by a belt of red, which blends in the middle of the belt on either side with a succeeding stripe of red, the outer margins of which are divided by two wedge shaped processes of yellow.

From this last named figure on either side to the circumferences are alternate parallel stripes of yellow and red about six inches broad. The upper circumference of the cloak, where it fastens about the neck, is about twenty inches, the lower one being seven or seven and a half feet, thus forming a cloak capable of amply enveloping a very large person. The mantle is protected by a handsome case and its beauty advantageously displayed by a background of blue velvet.

There are two other capes in the collection, very much smaller, and two boas. The larger of the capes is little more than a collar, its upper and lower circumferences being but seventeen and sixty-six inches, respectively. The entire body is of yellow feathers, having but two small crescents of red in the center. The remaining cape, virtually a red one, has only two small designs of yellow feathers and consequently is much less valuable.

The boas made from the feathers of the Uho are about two feet in length, and fasten about the neck with hempen cords.

The feather garments were at one time considered the greatest possessions of the crown, but the costumes of European and American manufacture have superseded them, and they are no longer manufactured on the islands.—Washington Post.

Letter Writing in America.

Americans are the greatest letter writing people on the globe. Of the fifty odd billion pieces of mail which are posted in the world every year nearly 3,000,000,000 go through the postoffices of the United States. We spend every year more than \$52,000,000 for postage, and during the year 1891 American tongues licked the backs of \$37,000,000 worth of sticky stamps.

The postage stamps sold every year the world over far surpasses in value the riches of Jay Gould or the Rothschilds, and the postage stamp industry of the world is one of the greatest factors in the machinery which moves the universe today. And yet postage stamps are of comparatively recent origin. It is barely fifty years ago since they were first used in England, and in 1847 congress first authorized their use in the United States.—Louisville Courier-Journal.

Biggest Umbrella in the World.

It is said that the biggest umbrella in the world has been made for the use of a west African king. The umbrella, which can be closed in the usual manner, is twenty-one feet in diameter and is affixed to a polished mahogany staff of the same length. The canopy is made of India straw, and has a score of straw tassels and a border of crimson satin. On the top is a pine shaped straw ornament which terminates in a gilded cone. When in use the umbrella is fixed in the ground, and under its shelter the king is able to entertain thirty guests at dinner.—Dry Goods Chronicle.

The Phoenix of Arabia.

In olden times a bird called a "phoenix" was thought to live in the deserts of Arabia. His lease of life was said to be 500 years, at the end of which time he built a nest of spices and fanned it into a flame with his wings. The flame reduced the bird to ashes, out of which he sprang to live another 500 years. Richardson says that he had fifty offices in his beak, through which he sung melodious airs.—St. Louis Republic.

An Abbe's Retort.

Some of those terrible market women of Paris were "cheeking" the Abbe Maury good humoredly. "You speak like an angel, M. l'Abbe, but spite of it all you are a fool." "Quite right, mesdames," he replied, "but one does not die for that!"—Gentleman's Magazine.

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When some five and twenty years ago Sir Henry Layard resolved to make for himself, and for the treasures of art which he had gathered from the four winds of heaven, a home in Venice, he found, fortunately enough, that the Ca' (or Casa) Capello was just at the very moment at his disposal. It had been the abode for several years of an Englishman who had just died, and who had left Mr. Malcolm, then well known among the English residents and now their doyen, his executor. A friendship had long existed between Mr. Malcolm and Sir Henry Layard, born of similarity of taste, which has ripened with many years of neighborhood and intercourse.

It was thus that the Ca' Capello came into the hands of Sir Henry Layard, and from that day it has been his home. Hither in the intervals of his ministerial duties, his missions and his visits to his English kinsfolk, he has returned with ever growing zest and affection. Here he has surrounded himself with a fine library, a noble collection of pictures and bronzes, marbles and mosaics, tapestries, ancient furniture and bric-a-brac, relics of the past, the spoils of a long and varied career. Here, too, in the year 1859, he brought his wife, a daughter of the late Sir John Gresham.

It is barely possible to reach the Ca' Capello on foot. You may cross the Rialto and bear toward the left through and across a series of tortuous and intricate calli, but the two handsome gondolas, reposing on the broad bosom of the canal at the door of Ca' Capello, which has every right to be called the front, suggest to the callers the only rational method of entrance. It has been said that the house is not one of the largest; its aspect, however, is undoubtedly one of the most attractive in the most beautiful highway in the world.

THE HOUSE. The two sides of the house, one in the Rio di San Polo, the principal, with the porch on the Grand canal, give scope for a display of color which elsewhere might suggest garishness, but which in Venice, par excellence the city of many colors, is natural and pleasing. As your gondola reaches the broad flight of steps behind the tall green pali, you cannot fail to notice that every window sill bears its burden of flowers after its English fashion, and that the portico is a veritable floral bower, with a conservatory over it, in which, beside the greenery, an immense Venetian glass chandelier is a most striking object. It is a mass of vine with depending black grapes, great creeping convolvuluses, canariensis and white jessamin, all struggling for life apparently, with no inconsiderable degree of success, on the trellis work which supports them.

As is common in Italian private residences, what we ordinarily describe at home as the ground floor is given up to the servants and the domestic offices of the establishment. A broad staircase on the left of the entrance, on either side of which, fixed in the wall, is a fragment of sculpture from Nineveh, leads into a hall of noble proportions which divides the house itself into two unequal parts. Here some of the larger pieces of furniture, such as the cabinets, are to be found; and here, too, a pair of admirable three-quarter length portraits of Sir Henry and Lady Layard, painted in Madrid by Palmarioli, head of the Spanish academy at Rome, face each other. Another portrait of Sir Henry Layard challenges an even closer inspection—that, namely, by Ludwig Passini, which was shown in the exhibition of the Royal academy. Large reception rooms give out on either side of the hall, and like it, all are floored with terrazzo, a material which to its great beauty adds the advantage of being absolutely unimflammable.

TASTEFUL FURNISHINGS. The dining room and the drawing rooms are filled, but not crowded, with beautiful works of art, including masterpieces of such painters as Gentile Bellini, Bonafazio, Sebastian del Piombo and many other famous Italian masters. Nor are the exquisite and delightful productions of the furnaces and workrooms of Murano forgotten. Of the modern Venetian glassblowing process, Sir Henry is most indispensibly the founder, and some of the most perfect specimens of this beautiful art are, as it is fitting, to be seen in his house, as well as some beautiful inlay work, and the admirable woodwork by Biraghi, who executed the famous double staircase in walnut wood for Lord Wimborne, at Canford, under Sir Henry's directions.

Sir Henry's own sanctum is on the upper floor of the Casa. Here are records and memorials of a more personal kind than were noticed in the lower reception room, and among them the Englishman does not fail to notice the framed certificate on illuminated vellum, headed "Challis, Mayor," which sets forth the bestowal of the honorary freedom of the city of London upon Austen Henry Layard. Here, too, are some noble bronze figures, portfolios, huge volumes bound in vellum and gold, and a host of books—nearly all, it may be remarked, of quite modern literature—together with the latest periodicals. It is characteristic of Sir Henry Layard's wide and comprehensive intellect that, identified as he is in the popular imagination with the history of the remotest past of which we have any knowledge, there is no living man more completely within the slang of the day calls "up to date."—London World.

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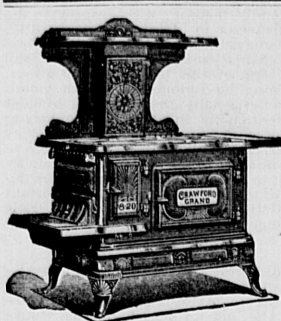
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LOST—On 6.10 train from Boston, on in Newtonville, a small package containing silk, and a pair of stockings. A suitable reward will be given if the finder will call at Mr. Turner at the Newtonville Post Office. 20 1/2

TO LET—On Church Street, Newton, a tenement of 4 rooms. Rent \$11 per month. Apply to R. J. Denton, 699 Centre St., Jamaica Plain, or to W. Earle, 248 Church St., Newton. 20 1/2

WANTED—By a gentleman his wife and daughter, two connecting rooms with bath, in a private family, or where there are few boarders, in Newton or Newtonville. Address, G. Graph Office, Newton. 20 1/2

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LOST—On Monday St. Bernard bitch, color orange, black face, white nose, feet and tip of tail. Address J. W. Corney 17 Oakland street, Newton. 20 1/2

LOST—Tuesday morning between West Newton and Standard Sugar Refinery, South Boston, black seal pocket book containing sum of money, various letters and tickets. Suitable reward if left at No. 36 Central St. Boston, or notify P. O. Box 403 West Newton. 20 1/2

WANTED—A boy on a small farm to do chores and light work. Apply to N. P. Gilman, Fuller St. West Newton or P. O. Box 565. 20 1/2

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TO LET—Rear of Post Office, house in thorough repair, newly papered and painted throughout. Suitable for four families, and will be let in single tenements or entire. None but respectable and orderly people need apply. Address with references, Aban, Trowbridge & Co., Eliot Block, Newton. 46 1/2

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CIGARCITY OF
NEWTON.

Notice is hereby given of a hearing before the Board of Mayor and Aldermen, at City Hall, Monday evening, March 7, 1892, at eight o'clock, upon the petition of the Newton and Boston Street Railway Company for the following locations for their tracks, namely:—On Walnut Street, from Homer Street, southerly to Lincoln Street, on Beacon Street, from Summer Street to Centre Street, and on Centre Street, from Beacon Street to Cypress Street (about 800 feet). On Homer Street westerly from Walnut Street about 300 feet with the necessary curves to allow a safe entrance into their proposed car house on Homer Street. By order of the Board of Mayor and Aldermen. ISAAC F. KINGSBURY, City Clerk. 20 2/2

CITY OF
NEWTON.

Notice is hereby given of a hearing before the Board of Mayor and Aldermen, at City Hall, Monday evening, March 7, 1892, at eight o'clock upon the petition of the New England Tel. & Tel. Co. of Mass., for locations on the following streets, viz:—Winthrop Street, between Shaw and Putnam Streets. Putnam Streets, between W. Throp and Temple Street. Temple Street, between Putnam and Prince Streets. Prince Street, between Temple Street and a point south of Berkeley Street. Peabody Street, between Washington and Pearl Streets. Chapel Street, between Watertown and California Streets. California Street, between Chapel and Bridge Streets. Bridge Street near California Street. By order of the Board of Mayor and Aldermen. ISAAC F. KINGSBURY, City Clerk. 20 2/2

Mortgagee's Sale of Real Estate.

By virtue of a power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by Isaac M. Lellan to Frazz Jones, dated April 1st, 1872, and recorded in the Registry of Deeds for the County of Middlesex South District, libro 1477, folio 688 will be sold at public auction, for the breach of the conditions in said mortgage, on the premises, on Tuesday the fifth day of March, 1892, at four o'clock in the afternoon, all and singular the premises conveyed by said mortgage deed, except pars heretofore released, namely:—a certain piece or parcel of land situate in that part of Newton in the County of Middlesex near Newton Highlands Station, bounded and described as follows:—Northerly by Winchester Street, 260 feet; Southwesterly by land now or late of Nancy Thornton, 113 feet; Southwesterly by land now or late of J. S. & 141 feet; and Northerly by land now or late of Sally Mitchell, 102 feet. Subject to any unpaid taxes, \$50 will be required to be paid in cash by the purchaser at time and place of sale. HELEN F. SHAPELIGH, Assignee and present holder of said mortgage. 20 4/2

NEWTONVILLE.

—Miss Linda Curtis is in town for a few days.

—Miss Nellie Roberts departed this week for Florida.

—Mrs. D. H. Taylor is quite ill at her home on Walnut street.

—Last Stoddard lecture at Park Theatre tonight, Egypt and the Nile.

—Miss Eleanor Forbes, a former resident, is visiting Mr. Needham, Lowell street.

—Mr. William Lawrence has been called on from New York by the severe illness of his father.

—Mr. G. H. Loomis was in town this week and is looking much better than on his last visit here.

—The local lodge of the A. O. U. W. initiated four new candidates at its meeting Monday evening.

—The Lend A Hand Society of the Universalist Church will give a leap year party in Tremont Hall, Monday evening.

—Mrs. R. A. White and son accompanied by her mother, Mrs. Brooks, depart next week for their new home in Englewood, Ill.

—Miss Margaret Wallace is the graceful young teacher of a class of girls from the Latin school, who are training at the Boston Normal Gymnasium.

—The program prepared for the Universalist reception last week was postponed, owing to the severe storm. The Greek tableaux will be given later on.

—Provisions for refreshment room from Ward 2, for G. A. R. fair, must be left with A. H. Sisson, Newtonville square, before 12 o'clock, Wednesday, Feb. 24.

—The committee of Ward 2 table, G. A. R. fair, request that all articles, not already sent to its members, be delivered at Eliot hall, Monday, Feb. 22nd, before 10 a. m.

—One may visit Bermuda and enter tropical atmosphere by just stepping into Doll & Richards, where Ross Turner has his water colors of Bermuda on exhibition.

—Mrs. J. L. Atwood desires to thank all those who assisted her in the concert of War Songs at the Universalist church, Monday evening and made it such a success.

—Misses F. S. Durant and daughter, formerly of Charlestown, are to become residents of this place and will make their home with Rev. R. T. Sawyer, Washington Park.

—The W. C. T. U. have arranged for a gospel temperance meeting next Sunday afternoon at 3.30 in Old Fellows hall, West Newton, with an address by Mrs. Fessenden of Boston.

—It is hoped the restaurant recently opened in the square may be given cordial encouragement and patronage, for it is something that has been greatly needed in this locality.

—Rev. J. M. Dutton, pastor of the Central Congregational church, preached to a large audience on Sunday morning, from the text "And the living shall live, whither the river cometh."

—Miss Annie Hayden Webster gave her first lesson to the class of ladies interested in her methods on Wednesday afternoon. A few more can be admitted to this group on applying to Miss Webster at Psyche hall, Copley square, Boston.

—The Chaplin school building was inspected by the state inspector of buildings and Mr. W. S. French, chief of the Bureau of Health, Tuesday. The visit is the result of complaints relative to the sanitary condition of the old and new structures.

—Rev. Mr. Sawyer preached in the Universalist pulpit on Sunday morning, sang "Marching 'G' Georgia" at the G. A. R. concert, Monday evening, and attended to his duties as a druggist through the week, and did it all well. So versatile a gentleman is a valuable society member.

—The monthly sociable of the Central Congregational Society was held in the church parlors Wednesday evening. The mixed quartet made its first appearance and rendered some pleasing numbers. It comprises Messrs. Carl Jenkins and Herbert Chase and the Misses Cora Davis and Thompson.

—The very artistic display of tissue paper fashioned into all sorts of useful and decorative articles freely shown this week at Degnan's, Franklin street, Boston, closes tomorrow night. It is marvellous, bewildering, beautiful, and yet so many practical ideas may be gained that the ladies of Ward 2 will find many suggestions for a fair, (which seems to be the one thought just now), by an attentive visit to this wonderland.

—The second union meeting of the Young People's Societies of Christian Endeavor of the Congregational, Methodist, and Universalist Churches will be held at the Universalist Church Sunday evening, February 21, at 6.15 o'clock. Mr. Linwood Towne of the Methodist society, will lead the service. Subject, "The Friendship of Christ." Nos. 1, 2, 3 and 4 of Gospel Hymns will be used. All are cordially invited.

—Mrs. John W. Dickinson died Sunday at her residence on Cabot street, of pneumonia, preceded by the grip. She had been ill only a week. The deceased was the wife of the secretary of the state board of education. She was born in North Yarmouth, Me. She was a graduate of Bradford Academy, and prior to her marriage, was a teacher in the Westfield Normal school, where she had charge at one time of the drawing department. Mrs. Dickinson resided with her husband in Newtonville 15 years. She was one of the founders of the Newtonville Woman's Guild, and was interested through it in the Newton Cottage Hospital. She was a member of the Central Congregational church. She was a woman of refined tastes, possessing a cultured mind and a sweet and kindly disposition. She had a wide circle of friends. Beside her husband, a son and daughter survive her. The former is superintendent of the Lyman mills, Holyoke. The funeral was private.

—Mr. William P. Mullen died at his residence, Walnut street, Tuesday. The deceased had been in poor health for some time and had an attack of the grip which brought on serious complications. Mr. Mullen had been a resident of Newtonville since 1867, coming here from St. Louis, where he had resided 40 years. He was at the time of his death manager of the Shultz Belling company, with headquarters at St. Louis and a Boston office on Summer street. He was also vice-president of the company, and had been connected with it for the past 16 years as director and stockholder. He had been prominent in Masonic circles in the West, and was among well known business men in that section of the country. He was a member of the Newton Club and other local organizations. He attended the annual meeting of the Shultz Belling company in January, and returned in feeble health, his condition from that time growing gradually worse until the end. Mr. Mullen was 57 years of age. A widow, three daughters and two sons survive him. Funeral takes place from the late residence of the deceased Saturday at 1.30 p. m.

—Mrs. Joseph Atwood is to be congratulated upon the success of her G. A. R. concert on Monday night, in the Universalist parlors. There was a large and appreciative audience present and the proceeds will add materially to the finances of the Ward 2 table. The decorations were the national colors gracefully arranged, with the flags of Post 62, and the stacked muskets gave a true military air to the scene. The ladies used tiny flags instead of flowers for corsage and hair, and the gentlemen's colors

were red, white and blue. Mr. H. V. Pinkham was musical director; Miss Holt presided at the piano, and the Newton High school Orchestra and Band and Guita Club, generously gave their services. The program included a selection by a Male Quartet, Messrs. Carter, Pinkham, Davis, Sawyer; reading, Mr. E. Brashers, chorus, "To These O' Country"; solo and chorus, Master Harry Hyde; duet and chorus, Mrs. Soden and Mrs. Gilman; chorus, "Angel of Peace"; readings, Mrs. J. B. Cornish; solo and chorus, Mrs. J. L. Atwood; solo and chorus, Mr. Charles Soden; solo and chorus, Miss Cora Davis; harmonica solo, Mr. G. Henry Weston; solo and chorus, Miss Maud Davis; chorus, "America."

—Miss Byers entertained the Neighbor's Club at her residence on Lowell street on Wednesday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Byers assisted in receiving, and after charades, guests chose partners for the different games of whist, angling, tiddler, winks, hearts, jackstraws and letters by their floral favors, attached to each being a card bearing the name of a hero or heroine of the poets, were smilingly presented to each other. A collection and the awarding of prizes and a delightful evening ended.

—The third anniversary of the Y. P. S. C. E. of the Universalist church was held in the parlors Wednesday evening. Delegations were present from all the Newton C. E. societies. The exercises consisted of an address by Rev. Mr. Lyne of Boston, and vocal and instrumental music and readings. The president, Miss Lizzie Goldthwaite, read a paper, reviewing the work of the year.

WEST NEWTON.

—C. Farley, tuner, 433 Wash'n st. Newton.

—A sociable will be held in the Unitarian parlors this Friday evening.

—Miss Mansur, assistant clerk at the postoffice, is confined to the house on account of illness.

—At the last meeting of Loyalty Lodge of Good Templars six names were presented for membership.

—Mr. S. W. Reynolds' family depart next week for Europe, where they will sojourn for a short season.

—Alfred C. Thorp has sold to Ernest E. Gentlemen a lot of land and buildings on Adams avenue for \$1700.

—Mr. W. H. French was present as a delegate at the convention of the Master Plumbers in Natick, N. H., last week.

—One of the Williston Home boys was run over by a loaded ice pump on Washington street, Tuesday afternoon and slightly injured.

—Mr. F. H. Humphrey will attend the firemen's ball at Hingham, Feb. 24. Chief Webber and the Boston fire commissioners will be among the guests.

—At the Leap Year party held by Loyalty Lodge of Good Templars, Wm. H. Rand was presented with a very handsome gavel made of snake-wood.

—A gospel temperance meeting will be held in Old Fellows Hall at 3.30 Sunday p. m. Address by Mrs. Susan Fessenden of Boston. Excellent singing.

—Mr. Frank Jordan, the assistant clerk in the assessors' department, was one of the candidates who successfully passed the civil service examination, Monday.

—The temperance Sunday school concert will be given in the Baptist church at 7 o'clock Sunday evening, with an address by Mrs. Susan Fessenden of Boston.

—The Veteran Firemen's Association has been granted the free use of City Hall for the evening of March 8, upon which occasion a concert will be given under its auspices.

—Miss Leonora Johnson, a recent graduate of the Bryant, Stratton Commercial school, has accepted a position as typewriter and stenographer in the Boston office of W. H. B. Dowse.

—The degree staff of Prospect Lodge, I. O. E. F. Waltham, worked the second at the meeting of Newton Lodge 12, last evening. The third degree will be worked by the degree staff of the latter lodge next Thursday evening.

—In the superior court at Cambridge this week, Alphonse Buiuen, who stabbed Brackman Woodcock at Newton Highlands, was sentenced to five years in the state prison. The Kelly and Brumby boys for larceny and breaking and entering Dyer's market were sent to the reformatory.

—A civil service examination for police and clerical positions in the City hall Monday. Chief Examiner Henry Sherwin was present with the members of the local board, Dr. Fred L. Thayer and Mr. Dwight Chester. Eighteen candidates were examined, 13 for police and 5 for clerical positions.

—The "Snow Bird" has taken out numerous sleighing parties this week, including pupils of the Shaw school, Mr. C. J. Hatch and party and members of the City hall Monday. A party of students from Conner's Commercial college came out to West Newton last Saturday evening and went in the "Snow Bird" to Bailey's Hotel, Natick.

—A horse attached to a coal wagon fell on the B. & A. tracks at the Chestnut street crossing Wednesday afternoon, causing quite a commotion, but resulting in no serious mishap. It may be interesting to the community to state that in 10 years, there has been no instance of the loss of life at the crossing named. It is guarded well day and night.

—Of the many enjoyable and interesting occasions of the Women's Educational Club, not the least was that held last Friday evening when the large audience was addressed by Mrs. Noble, a Russian lady, on the "Reform of Russia." At the close she read two poems in English, afterwards translated them in Russian, and held quite a reception giving many bits of personal experience.

—Several West Newton residents and others in this vicinity were honored last Saturday evening by an invitation from Miss Clara Munger to attend a musicale given at the Y. M. C. A. rooms in Boston. Among the singers was Miss Priscilla White, who still pursues her studies with Miss Munger and is fast attaining rank among our best artists. She anticipates the next season going abroad with Miss Munger to study with foreign masters.

—A musicale was given in the Congregational Church parlors Wednesday evening. An excellent program was presented, comprising piano solo, Miss Trowbridge; violin solos (piano accompaniment), Mr. Chase and Miss Trowbridge; soprano solos, Miss Emma Upham; violin and piano, Divertissement op. 35, No. 3, Miss Trowbridge and Mr. Chase; Miss Upham's solos included two original compositions by Mr. L. E. Chase, "Sleep Darling Sleep," and "Alone but Never Lonely." The vocal and instrumental selections were well rendered.

—A delightful entertainment was given for the benefit of the Cottage Hospital in the Unitarian church parlors Tuesday evening by Miss Eleanor Hooper of New York, assisted by Mrs. J. C. Jaynes. It consisted of a musical romance written by Miss Hooper supposed to have taken place in the reign of Napoleon 3d. The scenes were pictured by airs on the violin and piano taken from different masters, concluding with the wedding march of Mendelssohn interspersed with readings. Miss Hooper is an accomplished violinist, which added to her ease and grace of manner, furnished an entertainment very unique and enjoyable in character.

—Wednesday evening the ladies of Loyalty Lodge of Good Templars tendered a reception to Mr. and Mrs. G. Carlton

Russell, Mr. and Mrs. Hovenden, Mr. and Mrs. Mosley, all of Boston. A short musical and literary program was arranged, consisting of selections by Loyalty quartet, solo by Miss Fowell, duet by Miss Fogwell and Mr. Beardsley, piano solo by Miss Wellington of Newton and Mrs. Mosley, recitations by Miss Ethelyn Ellis and Mr. Lane, after which a beautiful collation was served. The remainder of the evening was spent in a delightful social manner. Like all Leap Year parties it was a grand success, and the gentlemen expressed a hope that the ladies were sufficiently encouraged to hold similar entertainments frequently.

—The Amateurs' drew good sized audiences to City Hall, Monday and Tuesday evenings, the performances being given for the benefit of the Church of the Messiah. The play given for the special talents of each performer, and was very prettily staged, the costumes being handsome and attractive. The hit of the evening was "The Water Butler," where who all appeared as Carmelita and called out enthusiastic applause by the magnificence of his costume, and his lively and graceful dancing. Following is the cast:

Mr. Jack Blood, hale fellow well met.
Mr. Porter Belknap Chase
Mr. Charley Harvard, "Qui e' too, don't cheer"
Mr. Herbert Luther Felton
Mr. Willie, around when needed.
Mr. Wm. Brooks Covell
Mr. Hyde, who never hides.
Mr. Clifford Kimball
Barnstorm Mud, Esq., actor and critic.
Mr. H. Ingall Kimball, Jr.
Mile. Wanstate Dolittle, who dances.
Mr. Walter Puffer
Jennie, the maid—of course.
Miss Winnifred Hammond, the hostess—calm, cool and collected.
Miss Agnes G. Chase
Miss Mildred Putnam
Miss Gertrude A. Barker
Mrs. Willie, boss of Mr. Willie.
Miss Alice Gardner
Miss Preferato Dolittle, who sings.
Miss Mae Kimball
Cheerful, the sup.
Time—The Present.
Scene—Miss Hammond's Drawing Room.

—Mrs. Joseph H. Nickerson and Miss Emma Nickerson gave a charming dancing party in the parlors of the Newton Hotel, Monday evening. The guests were invited to the house of the well-known society people. Dancing was enjoyed from 8 until 12 o'clock and the music for the occasion was furnished by J. Howard and his orchestra. Mrs. and Miss Nickerson received with the latter's sister, Mrs. L. H. Elwell of Amherst. Mrs. Nickerson wore a black silk costume. Mrs. Nickerson was becomingly gowned in pink crepe de chine and Mrs. Elwell wore a white silk with lace garniture. The flowers worn were pink roses. The ushers were Francis Newhall, H. C. Fairbrother, Severance Burrage, W. Harrington and Fred Wilson. Unique were distributed consisting of souvenir pictures to which pink ribbons were attached. The guests present were Miss Chase, Miss Howard, Miss Dams, Miss Howland, Miss Newhall, Miss Lovett, Severance Burrage, Warren Kilburn, Fred Wilson, Willis Stacy, Edward Page, Jr., L. A. Hall, George Angier, E. E. Elms, Eben Ellison, Russell Ballou, H. S. Potter, Charles Cole, Charles Homer, Winthrop Coffin, Dr. F. W. Webber and Messrs. Barrows and Tucker of Westboro.

AUBURNDALE.

—Farley, pianos, 433 Wash. St. Newton.

—Miss Lizzie White has a position as book-keeper in a Boston furniture house.

—The pupils of the Riverside school enjoyed a sleighride to Boston and return, Monday.

—C. C. Davis, W. O. Harlow, B. Fowle and Robert Lane attended the dance in Weston, Tuesday evening.

—The celebrated Irish Comedian, Joseph Murphy, at Park theatre, Saturday evening, Feb. 20th, in "Kerry Gow."

—Prof. Bragdon will give the second of his illustrated talks of Palestine in the Methodist church, Sunday eve at 7.30. Subject "Joppa."

—A party of well known people of this village took a sleighride to Winter Hill, Somerville, Wednesday evening, and enjoyed a supper.

—Contributions of food for the Ward 4 supper of the Grand Army Fair will be received by Mrs. Edward Almy, Woodbine street, during the afternoon and evening of Feb. 22.

—Mr. Arthur W. Vose of Newtonville gave a pleasant party to a few couples, Wednesday evening, at the Newton Boat Club house, Riverview. The evening was spent in bowling and dancing.

—The Sunday School class of Rev. T. W. Bishop of the Methodist church enjoyed a social time at the residence of their teacher, last evening, and were entertained by Mr. Eaton, a friend of Mr. Bishop.

—Prof. Bragdon was to have delivered the second in his series of lectures on travels in Palestine last Sunday evening in the vestry of the M. E. church. He will deliver a lecture on "Joppa" very soon, possibly next Sunday, notice of which will be given on the printed slips at the morning service.

—There are letters at the Post Office for Annie Anderson, Blanche Bachelder, Mrs. Samuels, C. Bushnell, Miss K. Blood, Ina F. Covell, Master James M. Cole, Miss Alice Daley, Miss Grace Flowers, Miss Clara E. Fairbanks, Charles Janvin, Thomas Loring, Mrs. J. F. McNeil, Grace McArthur.

—Deputy Clark and suite of Waltham inspected the following offices: Auburndale Lodge, A. O. U. W. Wednesday evening. W. F. Hadlock, P. M. W.; B. M. Small, M. W.; George Simpson, foreman; W. F. Coleman, overseer; J. J. Huestis, guide; E. W. Keyes, recorder; George E. Knapp, banister; P. A. McVicker, receiver; L. Farry, inside watchman.

—The organization of the Auburndale Fraternal Benefit Association was completed last Friday evening and these officers elected: George H. Burne, president; James H. Dulliver, secretary; Charles A. Miner, treasurer; Alfred Brush, George E. Mann, W. F. Hadlock, Charles A. Miner, F. E. Elwell, board of directors; the president and secretary being members of the latter, ex-officio. The papers are expected the first of the week.

—Mrs. Harry Ayer gave a very pretty dance at the Woodland Park Hotel Thursday night. Among the guests were Miss Barker, Miss Willis, Miss Lucy Allen, Miss Fannie Allen, Mr. and Mrs. G. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. S. Childs, Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Childs, Mr. R. H. Field, Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. C. Hyde, Mr. and Mrs. M. S. Kalk, Mr. and Mrs. A. Agnes Chase, Mr. Fisher Ames, Mr. F. J. Burrage, Mr. Harry Burrage, Miss Edith Farley, Miss Julia Frances and Miss Louise Gilmore.

—A birthday party was given at the residence of Mr. Charles B. Bourne, Wednesday evening, Feb. 10, in honor of Master Gawn Wilson, who was fourteen years old. Quite a number of his friends and acquaintances were present, and the evening was spent in an enjoyable manner playing games. A beautiful collation was served during the evening, to which full justice was done. Among those present were Master Harry Wilson, George Wilson, Fred Hall, Mrs. Alfred Underhill of Newton, Brent Taylor of Newtonville.

—On Monday evening last a large party from the Latimer Society of C. of N. of the Methodist church enjoyed their annual sleigh ride, leaving Auburndale about half

past seven and returning about half past ten. They had passed through the Newtons, Waltham, Waltham and Weston. At Waltham, Caterer Dill had prepared a fine collation, of which the young people showed a most practical appreciation. After partaking of the refreshments Miss Fannie Dillingham, the president, presided while remarks by several of the members were in order. This outing of the society was established two years ago and is an annual event, one of the pleasantest of the whole year.

—The services at the Methodist church last Sunday were of a truly helpful order. In the morning the pastor delivered a very able sermon from the text "Put ye on the Lord Jesus Christ." Those who listened to the speaker will not soon forget his earnest words. Every inducement was shown to forsake a sinful life and to begin Christian life, and yet the impossibility to do this in one's own strength. The greatest encouragement was offered to those who would accept help from Him who is willing and able to give. Such preaching cannot be long without the revival effect so much desired in the church. In the evening the series of exhortations by eminent divines in and around Boston was most auspiciously opened with a sermon delivered by Rev. A. J. Gordon, D. D., of Boston. These who came expecting much were not disappointed, as the doctor never fails to meet one's expectations. He spoke of the "Saving of souls from death" and the co-operation of Christians with the divine spirit in accomplishing this result. A more prominent notice of the doctor's presence could not have been given, owing to the fact that only on Saturday morning was Mr. Bishop informed of the doctor's ability to be present. Hereafter if these services more extended notice will be given.

Lasell Notes.

The sleigh ride of Friday evening, Feb. 12, was a complete success. Nearly one hundred and fifty teachers and pupils in eight large barges drove to Boston, took coffee and oysters at Cook's and returned by eleven o'clock in the very best of spirits, the sleighing being excellent. There was a little joke in the matter per the head of the school, the pupils were to have a "surprise," and to leave their lessons accordingly and to be in readiness. Many of them with long robes were expected to arrive, but some of the lectures and were examining a little beforehand. The "surprise" smothered away the fears and brought out many smiles that lasted till sleep overcame the smiles.

Mrs. Hume's address Sunday afternoon upon Mission work among girls at Boston was intensely interesting. Mrs. Hume gave many pathetic stories of what she personally knew and had experienced. The sorrow of the little children widows of India could hardly be exaggerated, and Mrs. Hume has a whole-souled devotion to a work that offers them relief.

Miss Annie S. Peck's third lecture took place Wednesday evening, Feb. 17, and treated of a Trip to the Peloponnese. It was well attended and gave great satisfaction. The course has been excellent and the illustrations often beautiful.

Rev. Dr. Peloubet's class Sunday morning, Feb. 14, was deferred that all the pupils might have leisure for Mrs. Hume's address in the afternoon.

The cooking of Feb. 15, was for the sick room, broiled steak, beef tea, toast, dropped eggs, gruels.

The dressmaking class is in successful operation in care of Mrs. Hawkins of Everett, Mass.

A party from Lasell enjoyed the sermon of Rev. Dr. A. J. Gordon Sunday evening, Feb. 14. A very small number have been in Boston to hear Madame Helen Hope-Kirk.

The Freshman class held a reception this evening in the school parlors, for between forty and fifty of their friends.

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20 21 ELLIOTT J. HYDE, Chairman.
Adjourned Mortgagee's Sale of Real Estate.

The mortgagee's sale of Real Estate situated on the easterly side of Park Street, Newton, in the County of Middlesex and State of Massachusetts, under mortgage recorded with Middlesex Co. Dist. Deeds, Book 2072, Page 28, advertised in this paper to take place on the premises, on Saturday, February 19, 1892, at ten o'clock in the forenoon on the premises, and on that last named date was again adjourned by the same auctioneer until Saturday, Feb. 21st, 1892, at ten o'clock in the forenoon on the premises.
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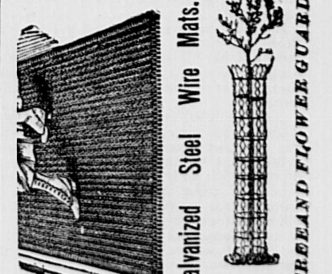
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"HER HEART'S DESIRE."

BY LANTA WILSON SMITH.

Mary Curtis had exchanged butter and eggs for the week's groceries, and while the clerk was stowing them away in the little old buggy, she stood, grave and silent, in deep thought.

Deciding at last, she resolutely turned her horse and drove toward the largest and best residence in town. Mrs. Raymond was an old and valued friend of the Curtis family, and it was not long before Mary was freely explaining the object of her morning call.

"I came to have a little talk with you; may I?"

"Certainly. I hope there is no trouble?"

"Only the old debt. We are all discouraged. We were so hopeful of paying off that debt this year, but this dry weather has ruined the crops. Grandma's long sickness and death took nearly all the money we had been able to save, and we shall have to use what is left to live on till next harvest. I never saw father and mother so cast down. It is killing them. I believe no family ever had such misfortunes as ours."

"You have all been so brave through sickness and loss, don't give up now."

"I couldn't sleep last night, and I made up my mind that, as Belle and Lucy are old enough to help mother, I am going to find some work. I will at least support myself, and not be a burden any longer. I thought you would tell me what to do, Mrs. Raymond."

"What does your mother think about it, Mary?" asked the lady, thoughtfully.

"I haven't told her. When I get something to do, she will not refuse."

"What kind of work do you hope to get?"

Mary laughed as she replied gaily: "Oh, I have dreamed over all the fine things I should like to do, but I know there is only one thing which I have learned perfectly, and that is housework."

"Bravely said, my dear! But perhaps you haven't thought of all sides. Here, where you have always been known, you would probably retain the same social position; but in a larger place you would be only a 'kitchen girl,' you know."

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The happy girl hurried away, and the horse, tired with waiting, soon carried her over the four miles to the humble farmhouse which had always been her home.

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"Never mind, father," Belle hurried to reply. "I'm sure no one ever worked harder than you. It is pure misfortune."

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The door opened, and a neighbor's cheery voice broke the silence.

"I was down town today, and brought your mail along. Cold night, isn't it?"

Belle sprang to take the package, while they chorused their thanks.

"Three papers, and a thick letter from Mary," announced Belle. "You go on with your supper, and I'll read it aloud."

Eagerly she broke the seal, for all Mary's letters were interesting, and sitting close to the window to make the most of the fading light, she began to read:

BLOOMINGTON CITY, DAK., OCT.—1888.

Dear Father and Mother—I know you are anxiously looking for a letter, and I hope you will not be disappointed in this. I am going to tell you a secret which it has been pretty hard for me to keep so long. I will begin at the beginning.

It seems that Mrs. Raymond told the Austin's just why I wanted to work out, and one evening, soon after I came, Mr. Austin said to me: "Mary, I heard that you have started out to pay off a mortgage of fifteen hundred dollars. How do you expect to do it?"

"I expect to help pay it, Mr. Austin, by saving all I can from my wages."

I felt my face get very red, for I thought he was making fun. But he went on:

"It would take a long time, Mary. Mrs. Austin and I have been talking it over, and I have something better to propose. This city is having a remarkable boom. If you had a little money to invest in real estate, you might make a small fortune in a little while. It will not take very long for you to save two hundred dollars, but during that time some of these rare chances will be passing."

To-morrow I am going to invest a sum in land, and if you consent, two hundred dollars of it shall be yours. You can pay me back as soon as you can save it from your wages. But in the meantime the land will be gaining in value every day. What do you say?"

"Dear me! how I felt! I was too choked up to say a word. I knew enough of these land booms to see the advantage."

"I'd be so thankful," I stammered out at last; and he only laughed and said:

"It's a bargain, Mrs. Austin here witnesses the contract and the deed, and best I can for that two hundred dollars."

That is why I wrote you that I would save all I could for a year before sending any home. I was so afraid you'd think I was spending it all. I wanted to surprise you. After that, how I dreamed about city lots and money! I wrote Belle all about it, and told her if I could only wait patiently all would end well, I was certain.

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NEWTON CENTRE.

—Mr. George H. Loomer has put out a new sign.

—Dr. Fitz of the Harvard Medical school was called last Monday afternoon to consult with Dr. R. P. Loring in the case of the severe illness in Mrs. D. S. Farnham. It is thought the inflammation will scatter without an abscess.

—Mr. Louis Vaehon has leased his place in White's block to Mr. C. C. Harris of Boston. A Briggs pool table was set up Monday and proves quite an attraction. No person under 21 years old is allowed to play without written permission.

A number of Newton Centre friends attended the wedding of Miss Grace Richardson Learned and Mr. Arthur Campbell yesterday evening. The bride is well known here, her family having had a summer residence at the Centre. Her dress was a beautiful white moire with court train of silver-striped brocade. Mr. and Mrs. Badger will live on Mt. Vernon street, Boston.

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—Mr. Geo. B. N. Flanders was married at Canton, Tuesday evening, to Miss Gertrude H., daughter of Mrs. Robert Draper of Canton corner. It was a very brilliant wedding and held in the sanctuary church. The bride was escorted to the altar by her mother. They were there met by the bridegroom and Mr. Frank F. Fennessey, the best man. The bride's dress was of cream color, princess style, ornamented with a pearl and diamond pin, a gift of the bridegroom. The long veil was caught up with lilacs of the valley, and the bride carried a bouquet of white lilies.

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The murex and purpura were mixed in the process in the proportion of two to one. Fabrics thus dyed had a very surprising and beautiful effect of color, presenting metallic green reflections from one point of view and in others showing brown and purple tints. Chemists for some time imagined that the iridescence of the feathers of humming birds and peacocks was caused by a substance of the nature of murexide, but it is known now that these brilliant hues are occasioned by a structure of the feathers which breaks up the light.

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NEWTON CENTRE.

—Newton Centre news on page 6.
—Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Wilson. A girl.
—A large sale of land on Cypress St was reported this week.
—Dr. S. A. Sylvester sailed for home from Paris last Saturday.
—Mrs. A. C. Ferry and family are in Marion Co., Florida.
—Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Irving are visiting Mr. George Cook.
—Mr. H. T. Reed and family have removed to Pleasant street.
—There have been a large number of sleighing parties this week.
—Rev. Mr. Frohawk has removed his family here from Hingham.
—Mrs. Loring L. Brooks of Sumner street is at "The Copley" Boston.
—The Grangers held their first party in Oak Hill hall, Tuesday evening.
—Early spring will see ground broken for two valuable houses near Grant Ave.
—A large number attended the Mutual Benefit Association ball in Association hall last evening.
—There was a pleasant surprise party at Miss Polly E. Hagan's, on Lyman street, Wednesday evening.
—A boy impersonating one of our "Finest" Wednesday evening, was induced to desist by Officer Condrin.
—Ground was broken on Monday for Mr. Flander's new house near the lake. Messrs Ireland having the contract.
—Councilman Degen has contracted for his new house with Cook & Hall of Boston and the frame is now going up.
—At Richardson's, smoked fish, pickled herring, fresh fish, artichokes, beef, lamb, spinach, lettuce, horse radish.
—Crystal Lake Division, S. of T., realized \$50 from last week's party, and three candidates were initiated last evening.
—Mrs. George Rand and daughter of Ridge avenue is entertaining her father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Reed of Montreal.
—Mrs. Korchin, for many years a resident of Newton Centre, died on Tuesday. She was well known in many families here.
—Mr. H. H. Read has plans ready for another new house on Glen Wood Ave., having a round bay and tower and other attractive features.
—List of letters are as follows. William Collier, Lizzie Damon, Mrs. Tim Lane, Rosy O'Hanley, H. J. Wheeler, A. C. Wheeler.
—We understand Mr. Greene, who lately purchased land joining Councilman Degen's on Centre St. near Rice St., has plans under way and will doubtless build this spring.
—Mr. Robert Hawthorne, whose death was incorrectly reported last week, is now said to be improving and many will be glad to know that his complete recovery is looked for.
—Mr. H. H. Read has sold his house on Rice St. to Mr. Ratcliffe assistant treasurer of the B. & A. R. Co. Mr. Wright, who now occupies the house, will remove to Philadelphia in April.
—Mr. Charles Irving died Saturday at the age of 84 years, and the funeral took place at 3 o'clock Tuesday, Rev. D. L. Furber officiating. There was a very large attendance and the remains were entombed at the Newton Cemetery.
—There will be a Vesper Service at the Newton Centre Unitarian Church, Sunday evening, Feb. 21st, at 7 o'clock. Special singing. Services conducted by the pastor, and the Rev. Francis B. Hornbroke of Channing church, Newton. All are welcome.
—At the Methodist church, next Sunday a. m., the Rev. John H. Emerson will preach. In the evening the pastor will deliver the sixth and last lecture of the Lord's Prayer, subject—"Lead us not into temptation." Services will continue next Sunday 7 o'clock, seats free. A cordial welcome to all.
—Cards are out for a masquerade party to be given Feb. 25, under the patronage of Mrs. J. H. Sanborn, Mrs. E. H. Fennessy, Mrs. D. H. Chadlin and Mrs. J. W. Parker. As this is the only fancy dress party that has been given here for a long time it has created a wide-spread interest and the subscription, which is limited, is being rapidly filled up.
—A committee has been appointed and plans talked for a connecting road from Boston line to Newton Centre, with the idea of running up South St. and entering Newton Centre in the neighborhood of Ward St. Many think the road should run direct up Beacon St. If our citizens are interested at all in this matter, now is the time to bestir themselves.
—Mrs. Martha A. Stone, wife of Mr. Daniel Stone, died Sunday at her late home on Hammond street, Chestnut Hill. The funeral took place at 10 o'clock Wednesday afternoon at one o'clock, Rev. D. L. Furber, D. D., and Rev. Theodore J. Holmes of the First church officiating. The attendance was very large and the services were rendered by a mixed quartet. The remains were then taken to the Newton cemetery where prayer was offered by Rev. Dr. Furber.
—John O'Brien hired a horse and sleigh of Mr. S. L. Pratt one night last week and drove to Kelly's Hotel in Brighton. A young man named Thomas F. Clarke, who lives in that vicinity, wanted a sleigh ride, and embraced the golden opportunity offered in O'Brien's sleigh. He started about 9 o'clock and word was immediately sent to police headquarters. It was transmitted to different police stations, and at 2 o'clock Saturday morning Clark, horse and sleigh were captured in Chelsea by the police of that city.
—A pretty home wedding took place at the residence of Mrs. J. A. Peck, Bowen street, Sunday afternoon, when Miss Jennie L. Peck and Mr. Edward Gold of East Boston were united in marriage. Rev. D. L. Furber, D. D., performed the ceremony, the couple standing in a recess banked with flowers. Only immediate relatives and friends were present at the reception and wedding supper. The couple departed upon a short wedding tour and on their return will reside in East Boston.
—The residence of Mr. G. N. B. Sherman on Bowen street was the scene of a pleasant family gathering Tuesday evening, it being the 53 birthday anniversary of the father of Mr. Sherman. Gardie Sherman, a grandson, presented Grandpa Sherman with a solid gold ring, a complete surprise, which was followed by a social hour and the partaking of a well spread table. Much pleasure was added to the evening by the presence of Mrs. Charles Super of New York, who has been visiting her brother here for a few weeks.
—The black flag with its grotesque decoration of white skull and cross-bones waved in sombre peace from the top of the tall flag staff on the park at sunrise Wednesday morning. It caught the attention of the early risers and after the first glance of surprise a humorous smile would follow. The patrolman passing on his beat noticed the defiant air of the piratical looking flag,

and realizing how inappropriate the place for such a flag slowly lowered it to the ground and bore it away. The flag was about six feet long and four wide and the skull and cross-bones were nearly stitched on to the black ground work. The flag must have been a good one but only the early risers enjoyed the results of so much labor.

—Last Saturday evening there was given in the First Congregational church an entertainment which proved a financial success. And this was far from being its only success. For the spectacle would have interested even the most casual observer who cared only to please eye and ear. The object of the entertainment was to raise money for a new flag for the mission ship, "The Morning Star," and the nucleus of the workers was a little band of boys, and young boys, too, belonging to the Sunday school of that church. It is unnecessary to say that their teacher was the originator and with efficient helpers carried out the entertainment from the march of the children in their costumes to the different nations on which the Gospel light had risen or was rising, to the end of the evening in which the star-spangled banner waved over our heads and Miss Bassett's music rendered by the old some always so dear to us, was chorused by the voices of the children enlisted to fight under its folds in the service of peace, and of that "Word which is understood more and more to carry with it the noblest and loving deed. The children did admirably; they gave well their recitations as representatives of the various nations from those in which the battle for religious liberty had been fought before America was a nation to the countries to which our own flag was bringing new light for this world, new hope for the next. And in all work for mankind here, and in all the world, may it forever be said to the ship bearing our flag:

"Sail on! The morning cometh,
The port ye yet shall win;
And all the bells of God shall ring
The good ship bravely in!"

To those who looked thoughtfully at the banners of the nations suggestion came, that the unity of mankind under all the outward differences, that of our being of one blood and needing all the law, the law of Love. And this thought did not lack expression. Miss Alice Reed aided by an organ accompaniment by Mr. Julius Ring read with that simplicity which is alike true art and true feeling, that beautiful song "My Ain Country," and listening, we understood that to us all of whatever race or nation there was still the "ain country" which uniting us there, should make us walk side by side here. And that the beautiful Hindoo song so sweetly sung by a little American, Miss Laura Maltby, seemed all the more to break down barriers of race and distance. It was with the echo of Master Franklin Wood's fine voice in our ears, the beauty of the music, "Come unto me," making the singer for the moment forgotten, that we watched the star-spangled banner as it rose above the others at once our flag and our inspiration.

NEWTON HIGHLANDS.

—Mr. A. O. Swett, who has been a long time ill, is slowly improving.
—The Chautauque Circle will meet next Tuesday at Mrs. Whittemore's.
—Hon. J. F. C. Hyde has not been in his usual good health for a few days.
—Mr. F. S. Kempton has returned from his trip north, much improved in health.
—The West End Literary Club will meet next Thursday with Mrs. Carbone, Hyde street.
—Mrs. C. Peter Clark arrived home from Old Point Comfort, Va., on Friday last, in improved health.
—W. H. Fish, Jr., will conduct the Unitarian services next Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock in Stevens Hall.
—Next Monday the Mother Goose festival conducted by the people of St. Paul's church, is to begin in Lincoln Hall.
—M. E. services next Sunday at 10:45, subject, "The Christian Warfare," and at 7 in the evening, subject, "The Christian Athlete."
—The Monday Club will not hold a meeting next week on account of the holiday, but the next meeting will be with Miss Sweetzer, Feb. 29th.
—About twenty-five ladies and gentlemen met at Mrs. Webster's, for the study of Shakespeare, under the leadership of Mr. George of the High school.
—The concert given for the benefit of the Memorial B. building fund was a success, as far as the concert was concerned, but the patronage was not quite satisfactory.
—Rev. Mr. Boyd of Newport, Me., a brother of Mr. L. Boyd of the Highlands, occupied the pulpit very acceptably at the Congregational church, last Sunday morning.
—Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Dey, residing at the corner of Forest and Chester streets, met with a sad loss on Wednesday by the death of their daughter Marjorie, at the age of six years.
—List of letters remaining in the post-office: Mary D. C. English, Archibald H. Greenough, Leonard Parker, Robert Smith, Marshall M. Sawyer, Gerald F. Sawyer.
—Mr. Vivian Greenidge has his home at present with Mr. E. Thompson, Hartford street. Mrs. Greenidge, who went to the West Indies on account of her health, is somewhat improved.
—The proprietor of the best kept livery stable at the Highlands has been on a trip to New Hampshire, to see how "the world would work in catching fish through the ice, and it proved quite successful.
—Mrs. Chick, the mother of Mrs. E. Moulton, who has been very ill of pneumonia, is now recovering. Her son, Mr. George Chick, of Kennebunkport, who has been here for several days, has returned home.
—A large number of the members of the Newton Congregational Club from the Highlands church attended its meeting and banquet, held at West Newton, on Monday evening. The church quartet furnished the musical portion of the exercises, and was highly appreciated by the club.
—The marriage of Mr. Philip S. Brickett and Miss Della L. Barber, took place at St. Paul's church, on Tuesday, at noon. Rev. Mr. Williams, the rector, officiating. At the conclusion of the ceremony the newly married couple left for New York; on their return they will make their home with Mrs. J. B. Bradon, on Lake avenue.
—Much sympathy is expressed for Mrs. Phipps, on account of the sudden death of her father, Mr. Russell Carruth, which occurred at Boston Highlands on Thursday last week, at the age of 75 years. The funeral of Mr. Carruth was at the Elliot church, Boston Highlands, Rev. B. F. Hamilton, officiating. The Kinsley Post, G. A. R., took charge of the services.

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—Mr. George Southworth of the Pettee Machine Works has taken a position in the Newton Rubber Co.'s mill.

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—The Independent Club held an intensely interesting party at "Hotel Edes" Saturday evening. This is said to be the first of a series.

—A stereopticon lecture on England, Scotland and Ireland was given in Prospect hall Feb. 23, under the auspices of Perseverance Lodge, I. O. G. T.

—Mr. John Procter is having a portion of his store partitioned off for letting purposes. The Grattan Bakery of Natick have within a few days decided to lease it.

—The monthly meeting of the Methodist Sewing Circle was held in the church here Wednesday afternoon, and in the evening a social and entertainment were enjoyed.

—A complaint was made to the GRAPHIC reporter this week that orders for conveyance to the depots, left on Mr. Edes' slate at the post office, have not been filled as requested.

—The many friends of Mr. James Brundrell will be pleased to learn of his reinstatement at the Boston Custom House, where he was steadily employed under Collector Sauton.

—Through freight rates are now quoted at the Upper Falls station to any points on the Baltimore & Ohio and Philadelphia & Reading railroads, made possible by the recent big railroad deal.

—The Humming Bird Juvenile Quartet and Mr. Charles E. Villanus, humorist and impersonator, are booked for March 10, when a concert in aid of the Baptist church will be given in Prospect hall.

—Mr. Henry Percy died very suddenly yesterday morning, death resulting from rheumatism. He was thought to be improving Wednesday evening, and the news was quite unexpected. The deceased had worked at the Pettee Machine Works for a number of years. He leaves a widow and four children.

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Piano Solo,	Miss C. Blanche Rice,	Selected
Parson Jingle-Jaws' Surprise,	Wade Whipple	Read
a. Rising Solo,	Mr. Chas. C. Blanchard,	Kellogg
b. Molly,	Miss Honore Hornick,	Selected
Duet, Harmonium and Guitar,	Mr. Blanchard,	Nora Perry
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MIDDLESEX, SS. PROBATE COURT.
To the next term, creditors, and all other persons interested in the estate of Ellen Rebecca Hanson late of Newton in said County, deceased, intestate:

WHEREAS, application has been made to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased to Ellen Augusta Hanson of Newton in the County of Middlesex, and to exempt her from giving surety or securities on her bond pursuant to statute:

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge in said County of Middlesex, on the first Tuesday of March next, at nine o'clock before noon, to show cause, if any you have, against granting the same.

And said petition is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once a week, for three successive weeks, in the newspaper called the Newton Graphic printed at Newton, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, George M. Brooks, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this eleventh day of February in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-two.

J. H. TYLER, Register.

By ELLIOTT J. HYDE, Auctioneer.

Mortgagee's Sale of Real Estate.

By virtue of a power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by George T. Hall to the Mortgagee, dated July 1st, 1880, and recorded in the Registry of Deeds for the County of Middlesex, South District, libro 1087, folio 300, will be sold at public auction, for breach of condition on the premises, on

Monday the twenty-ninth day of February 1892 at four o'clock, in the afternoon, all and singular the premises conveyed by said mortgage, to-wit: namely:—all that lot of land in that part of Newton in said County called Newton Centre, containing sixty-eight thousand eight hundred and five square feet more or less and bounded and described as follows to-wit: beginning on the southwesterly side of a well known line being the line of the Boston and Lowell street at stake and stones directly over the Boston aqueduct and running S 78 1-2 degrees W over the middle of the same three hundred and ninety-five feet to a bound over the middle of the same aqueduct by land now of Francis Fitz formerly of John Ashton thence N 14 degrees E twenty-two feet thence in the same direction E 20 degrees E thirty-five feet thence N 15 1-2 degrees E two hundred and seventy-nine feet and a half feet to said Homer street; the last three lines being by land now of Francis Fitz formerly of John Ashton; thence S 70 1-2 degrees E forty-two feet; thence S 58 1-2 degrees E fifty-seven feet thence S 40 1-2 degrees E thirty-five feet thence S 45 degrees E ninety-three feet; thence S 42 degrees E one hundred and fifty feet; thence S 41 degrees E twenty-two feet and one half to the point of beginning all the six last named lines or courses being by said Homer street. Subject to the rights of the City of Boston and any unpaid taxes.

\$500 will be required to be paid in cash by the purchaser at the time and place of sale.

SARAH W. MASON,
Assignee and present holder of said mortgage.
Newton, February 4th 1892.

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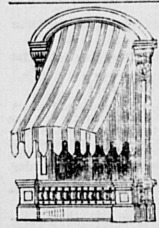
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FEBRUARY 19, 1892.
Sealed proposals for building a House and
Police Station at Nonantum will be re-
ceived by the Committee on Public Property
until 12 M. Friday, March 4th, 1892. Plans and
specifications may be seen at the office of
Kendall & Stevens, Architects, 8 Oliver Street,
Boston, and the bids addressed to the Com-
mittee on Public Property must be deposited
with the Architects at or before the time
specified. The right is reserved to reject any
or all bids.
20 21 ELLIOTT J. HYDE, Chairman.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, SS. PROBATE COURT.
To the next (4th) creditors, and all other per-
sons interested in the estate of Ellen Rebecca
Hanson late of Newton in said County, deceased,
intestate:
Whereas, application has been made to said
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You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate
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And said petitioner is hereby directed to give
public notice thereof, by publishing this citation
once a week, for three successive weeks, in the
newspaper called the Newton Graphic printed at
Newton the last publication to be two days, at
least, before said Court.
Witness, George M. Brooks, Esquire, Judge of
said Court, this eleventh day of February
in the year one thousand eight hundred and
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J. H. TYLER, Register.

The Nonantum Club kept open house
Washington's birthday and entertained
numerous friends. A feature of the ex-
ercises was the raising of a national flag and
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social organizations of the city.

NEWTON.

C. Farley, Tuner, 433 Washington Street.
—Don't fail to attend the Veteran Fire-
men's Concert.

—The Rev. J. V. Garton of Cambridge
will preach at the Baptist church next
Sunday morning.

—The Rev. Mr. Richards, a young Ken-
tucky clergyman of great promise, is to
preach in Grace church on Sunday next.

—See program of Monday evening's
entertainment at Eliot Hall. Prof. Kelley's
Theology, D.D., with readings by Mr.
Henry M. Greenough and others.

—To-morrow is Children's day at the G.
A. R. Carnival and the hall will be open
both afternoon and evening. Supper will
be served from 5 to 10 o'clock.

—The wedding of Miss M. J. Ethering-
ton of Winthrop and Mr. Augustus Clark
of Newton, took place Wednesday evening
at the home of the bride in Winthrop.

Russell, the Nonantum druggist, pro-
vides the soda and syrups for the thirty at
the G. A. R. carnival. It is his contribu-
tion to the proposed new Memorial building.

—Miss Gertrude Wildman of Newton,
has reached the Plaza Hotel in New York
from Lakewood, and will soon return
home, after an absence of several weeks.

—Mr. H. E. Johnson has put in a tele-
phone for the better accommodation of his
customers. His work gives excellent sat-
isfaction as evinced by his increasing busi-
ness.

—Mr. T. J. Homer of Roxbury and Mr.
Fred Coffin of Newton left town Saturday
for a flying trip to Woodstock, Vt., where
they expect to find some fine snow shoeing
and tobogganing.

—Mr. Calkins' last lecture on the life of
John Calvin, with the evening
service of Eliot Church, next Sunday, Feb.
28th. "The burning of Servetus and Cal-
vin's last years." All are welcome.

—The first of the two Chamber concerts
to be given by Mr. H. B. Day occurs next
Tuesday evening, at 8 o'clock. Mrs.
Francis Dutton Wood will be the soprano
soloist, and Mr. Wulf Fries and Mr. C.
N. Allen will also appear.

—Mr. James Paxton, the caterer, met
with a painful accident last Saturday, bad-
ly lacerating three of his fingers in the cogs
of an ice cream freezer. The injuries, for-
tunately, will not necessitate amputation,
at first thought necessary.

—Music in Grace church on Sunday
night:
Processional Hymn. Stanford
Magnificat. Stanford
Nunc Dimittis. Stanford
The Anthem. Stanford
Retrospective Hymn. English

—Prof. Kelley's original Tableau D'Art,
with the maidens in their spotless Grecian
robes, and the amusing representation of
scenes from every day life will be well
worth seeing. All the papers give enthu-
siastic praise to the entertainment.

—The Leaflet distributed in Grace church
last Sunday started the question of what
was to be done for more room in the parish
house. It appears that the building
erected some five years ago and which was
thought quite large at that time has be-
come too small to meet the growth of the
parish.

—Judging by the press notices which
came to us the Y. M. C. A. reserved the
best for the last in their Star course en-
tertainments, and that to be given in Eliot
Hall, next Monday evening, by Prof. S. R.
Kelley's Tableau D'Art Company is well
worthy the largest audience that the hall
will accommodate.

—The last meeting of the Browning Club
took place on Tuesday afternoon at the
Brussels. "The Spirit of the Law of Pro-
gress." The Rev. Francis Dutton Wood
Hornbroke read a paper on "Development
in Browning's Poetry" and Mrs. Emily
Shaw Forman read one on "The Undying
Thought of Karolus and Cleon." A dis-
cussion followed.

—The concert to be given March 8th at
City Hall, by the Veteran Firemen's As-
sociation, will be one of the best given in
the city, winter, judging from the talent
engaged, which comprises Mr. Carlyle Pe-
tersen, pianist; Mr. Edward De Seve, vi-
olinist; Jennie Patrick Walker, soprano;
Herbert Johnson, tenor, and Mrs. Eliza-
beth Flower Willis, reader and impersonator.

The Boston firm of Chandler & Barber,
hardware dealers, tendered their employees
a reception at the United States Hotel
Wednesday evening. About 35 ladies and
gentlemen were present. After dinner was
served Mr. Barber, of Barber Bros., this
city, offered several toasts which were re-
sponded to by the "boys." After the
speeches an enjoyable hour was passed
with both vocal and instrumental music.

—During Lent the services in Grace
church will be as follows: Ash Wednes-
day, March 2, at 10.45 a. m. and 7.30 p. m.
After that every Wednesday and Friday at
7.30 p. m. and on Mondays, Tuesdays,
Thursdays and Saturdays at 4.30 p. m.
These services are open not only to the
regular members of the congregation but
to any who wish to attend. Each service
is brief and is followed by an address.

—The late William P. Mullen of this
ward carried a heavy life insurance.
Among other companies he was insured in
the United Order of Equity, Boston. His
death occurred Feb. 16, and on Feb. 19,
Edward E. Barnes of Newton, who is
treasurer of the above named order, handed
his widow a draft to cover the amount of
his insurance in that company. Such
prompt payment speaks well for the
organization.

A very pleasant party was given in
Armory Hall, Saturday evening, by the
pupils of Mrs. North's dancing class. The
floor was in charge of Mr. Coppins, who
had as aids, Messrs. Alden, Angler and
Simmons. The grand march was led by Mr.
Alden and Miss Whittemore. The music
rendered by the Astrella Orchestra of Bos-
ton. The matrons were Mrs. Alden, Mrs.
Simmons and Mrs. Whittemore. Refresh-
ments were served during the evening.
There were about thirty couples present.

—The next Vesper Service at the Chan-
cing church will take place next Sunday,
Feb. 28th at 7.30 o'clock. The following
musical selections will be used:
Organ Prelude, Homage to Mendelssohn
Anthem, The Lord is my light. H. W. Parker
Anthem, Save me O God. Carl Pfleger
Anthem, Come let us sing to the Lord. B. Tours
Alto Solo, Trusting I call. Julian Jordan
Offertoire in A major. E. Baliste
Anthem, Father, Refuge of my soul. W. C. Williams
Organ Postlude, Offertoire in G major.
Lefebvre Wely

Seats free in the evening. All are cordi-
ally invited.

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social organizations of the city.

—The season of Lent begins next Wed-
nesday, March 2nd, and continues until the
end of Saturday, April 16th. The ob-
servance of the season is intended to com-
memorate the suffering of Christ, especial-
ly the fasting and temptation in the wilder-
ness, and the closing scenes leading to the
crucifixion and burial. Although in this
section for a long time Lent was kept by
comparatively few persons, its observance
has steadily increased until now it modifies
many of our social customs. For some six
weeks there will be a pause in the whirl of
entertainments, and the sound of church
bells will be heard more frequently. Care-
ful observers tell us that this season of
comparative quiet has its benefits apart
from, in addition to, the religious ad-
vantages which the devout associate with
it. Life is becoming more and more in-
tense, and it is well, say they, to call a halt,
so that tired brains may rest, and strained
nerves be quieted.

—Every boy who could get there was
present at the first reception to members
and boys friends of the Junior department
of the Y. M. C. A. held in the rooms last
Friday afternoon. The reception commit-
tee, consisting of Messrs. Charles Leeds,
George Reid, Harold Barber and Sawyer
Bullens, had left nothing unprovided for,
so that from the moment the doors were
opened until the farewell songs the boys had
one continual round of enjoyment. Social
games, of which many have been provided
for the use of the department, were fol-
lowed by a well rendered program of music
and recitations, after which came a bounti-
ful supply of refreshments, to which full
justice was done. Great credit is due the
boys for the thorough manner in which
everything was done, and the fact that all
was provided without expense to the as-
sociation or any public solicitation. The
department now has forty-one members.
The Sunday meetings are well attended and
sustained; while the other features of the
work are in thriving condition.

HOW "AMERICA" WAS WRITTEN.

DR. SMITH TELLS THE HISTORY OF THE
SONG—IT WAS ONCE PLAYED UNDER
THE EARTH.

Hereafter the pupils of the William H.
Lincoln School, Brookline, will sing
"America" with different feelings, for
they will recall the time when they
heard the author of the words, the ven-
erable Dr. S. F. Smith of Newton, tell
them how he came to write the familiar
song. The occasion was the Washing-
ton's Birthday celebration at the school
Friday, when Dr. Smith was the
principal guest.

"Many times I have been asked," said
Dr. Smith, "how I came to write 'My
Country, 'tis of Thee.' I wrote it while
a student at the Theological School at
Andover. At that time William C.
Woodbridge went to Germany to study
the school system of that country, with
a view to introducing into our schools
anything that commended itself to his
judgment. He found that a great deal
was made of singing in the schools,
and that the public school teachers in Ger-
many believed that everybody had a
voice to sing if he only thought so and
would open his mouth and try."

"Mr. Woodbridge brought home with
him a large collection of singing books
especially adapted for school use. These
he put into the hands of Lowell Mason,
the most noted musician of his
day. I was on terms of familiarity with
Mr. Mason, and he brought to me a great
beap of those books.

"Here," said he, "Mr. Woodbridge has
brought me a lot of German songs and I
can't read them, but you can and you
can make verses. Will you please look
them over and sort out those which you
think will be best adapted to school
use?"

"One dismal day in the month of Feb-
ruary, as I was standing near my window
looking over the collection, I came to
one which I liked. My attention was
attracted to the words, which were of a
patriotic nature, and the impulse came
over me to make a patriotic hymn for my
own country."

"I began at once, and at the end of a
half hour put the piece into my portfolio.
I went to my supper, thinking no more
of the circumstance. The next time I
went to Boston I took the song with me
and gave it to Mr. Mason. As he did
not refer to it at our next meeting I did
not and it passed from my mind."

"On the next Fourth of July, as I
was passing Park-street church, I was
attracted by the sound of music. I
entered the building and found it filled
with boys and girls engaged in a patri-
otic celebration of the day. While the
orator of the day was speaking I glanced
over the shoulder of a person in front of
me, who had a program, and saw that
the last piece on the program was to be
a song, 'My country 'tis of thee.' That
was sixty years ago. I have since had a
number of translations of it sent to me
from foreign countries."

"In 1838 Mr. Mason, through the
school committee of Boston was enabled,
with great effort, to have singing intro-
duced into the public schools. What
was done in Boston has been since done
in almost every place in the United
States."
"I have heard the piece, 'America,'
sung in country schools from the woods
of Maine to the log houses of Texas.
When gold was discovered in California
I heard it there. Once, when in the
State of Colorado, in the city of Manitou,
I visited a great limestone cave, near
which is Pike's Peak. In this cave is a
room called the 'Organ Room.' The ac-
tion of the climate upon the limestone
has caused the lime to melt and drop
into the cave beneath. This substance
has congealed, until large pillars have been
formed resembling the pipes of an organ.
Many of these are hollow, and are three,
four and even six feet in length. The
guide who went from place to place in the
cave had found that by striking these hol-
low pillars with a billet of wood he could
produce musical sounds. When our
party entered the room he said, 'Stand
apart and I will play you a tune.' To
my great astonishment I heard my own
song, 'My country 'tis of thee.' I had
heard it on sea and on the land, and it
was now my pleasure to hear it under
the earth."

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ber Plants, Dracaenas, Ferns, Cyclamen,
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Factory Repairs.

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to the Watertown Machine Co.'s shop for
repairs. A full line of set screws, cap
screws, machine bolts, etc., on hand at
Boston prices. 21 21

FLAGS ON ALL SIDES.

CARNIVAL OF CHARLES WARD POST suc-
CESSFULLY OPENED.
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A special feature of the fair which has
attracted a great deal of attention is the
art department, near the main entrance,
which has been loaned, a valuable col-
lection from Lassell Seminary. It con-
sists of silver souvenir spoons from all
parts of the world, rare embroideries
from the Orient, exquisite sketches and
pictures, and quaint curios from China,
India and Japan. Many of the articles
were collected by Mrs. Bragdon and Mrs.
Shepherd during their foreign travels
with the Lassell parties.

The decorations of the ward booths
deserve more than a passing notice.
Those of the Ward 1 and 7 table, from
original designs by Mr. Sidney Bryant,
were very effective and artistic. The
tables were left open in front without
the customary overhead cornice, giving
an opportunity for an elaborate back-
ground in white and gold relieved with
gold tinsel bows. The Ward 2 table was
draped in white mull with silver orna-
mentation. The Ward 3 table was treat-
ed in white, pink and blue green, and the
Ward 5 booth in orange and white. A
lace drapery effect designed by Keeler of
Boston constituted the special feature of
the decoration of the Ward 5 table. The
hangings were old gold and blue china
silk. Heavy silken cords and tassels
secured the lace curtains at the side.
Shepard & Norwell of Boston decorated
the Ward 6 table. The draping, in lav-
ender and white, was very tasteful and
simple, and rich in effect.

The Sons and Daughters of Veterans
table was decorated with the national
colors, the red white and blue. As a
whole the decorations in point of artistic
merit and effective arrangement surpass-
ed any previous work in that line in the
city.

Tuesday was observed as Sons and
Daughters of Veterans Day and guard
duty was performed by members of J.
Wiley Edmunds Camp 100, S. V. Wed-
nesday was ladies' day and various local
clubs were represented, the Social
Science Club by its president, Mrs. J. H.
Sawyer, Mrs. J. N. Keller, Mrs. G. D.
Gilman, Mrs. Justin Whittemore, Mrs.
C. E. Billings, Mrs. John Stetson, Mrs.
Frank Owen, Mrs. H. W. Wellington,
Mrs. James Macomber, Mrs. H. K. Ho-
bart, Mrs. W. P. Ellison, Mrs. Henry
Tolman, Mrs. George S. Trowbridge,
Mrs. U. C. Crosby, Mrs. H. C. Hardon,
Mrs. R. A. Ballou, Mrs. Charles Loring.
Members of the Newtonville Woman's
Guild present were Mrs. A. T. Sylvester,
Mrs. A. B. Tainter, Mrs. J. W. Knowles,
Mrs. J. E. Gilman, Mrs. N. O. Simpson.
The candy table has been the rendez-
vous of large numbers during the carni-
val, and the chocolates and bonbons from
St. Chairs are pronounced "sweet for
anything."

The ladies in charge on the opening
night were Mrs. J. A. Kenrick, Mrs. A.
D. Stephenson, Miss Kenrick, Miss
Stephenson, Miss Gaffield, Miss Luttrell,
Miss Hastings, Miss Henry, Mrs. Edwin
Jones, Miss Kenrick and Miss Luttrell.
Mrs. Kenrick wore a light gray gown, Mrs.
Stephenson, lavender, Miss Stephenson, pink crepe;
Miss Gaffield, white crepe; Miss Hast-
ings, brown silk; Miss Henry, gray silk;
Mrs. Edwin Jones, pink crepe de chine.
The musical program Wednesday eve-
ning was especially enjoyable, consisting
of vocal numbers by the Amphion male
quartet, and piano-forte selections by
Miss Merrill.

NEWTON LOWER FALLS.

—Don't fail to attend the Veteran Fire-
men's Concert.

—Officer Mitchell was on duty here last
Friday night, Officer Seaver taking a need-
ed rest.

—A large number from here attended the
G. A. R. carnival Monday and Tuesday
evenings.

The officers of the Light Infantry of
St. John's church will run a dance in Free-
man Hall.

—Dr. J. H. Twombly addressed the South
Framingham Epworth League, last Wed-
nesday evening.

—Mr. E. T. Rice is slowly recovering
from a very long sickness. He is able to
take out-door exercise.

—Mr. Geo. Robinson, fireman on the
branch, is off duty on account of a trouble-
some abscess near the eye.

—Rev. Emory J. Haynes, D. D., will give
the last lecture in the popular course at the
M. E. church, Monday evening, Feb. 28, at
7.45 o'clock.

—Two young boys here were summoned
to appear in court last Saturday for throw-
ing snow at sleighing parties while passing
through here.

—The annual Wellesley caucus for nomi-
nation of officers was held in Town Hall,
Thursday evening. The town election
promises to be hotly contested.

—At the recent session of the quarterly
conference of the M. E. church at Newton
Lower Falls, the return of the pastor, Dr.
J. H. Twombly, for another year was
unanimously requested.

—The finishing machines of the Elmira
prison of New York visited this place last
Friday for Geo. Chetworth, who escaped
from that institution after having served
two years of a fifteen years sentence, skip-
ping while on parole. Officer Seaver made
the arrest and he was released on sureties
of \$2500 for his appearance before Judge
Kennedy next day, after which he was
handed over to the New York authorities.

—Fire was discovered in the drying room
of Sullivan's mill at 4.45 o'clock. Wed-
nesday afternoon and caused some excitement
for over an hour. The building used for
drying is of brick and was well protect-
ed, with fourteen automatic sprink-
lers which did good service in subduing
the blaze. An alarm was rung in and hose
No. 3 responded and did service. The fire
started by dryers becoming overheated.
Building and stock were damaged.

Y. M. C. A.

The reception Committee of the As-
sociation invite the Young Men to a
general good time at the Y. M. C. A.
Rooms on Wednesday evening next.
The program includes game contests,
(with prizes), some light refreshments
and a debate, open to all. 8 o'clock to 10.

The four o'clock men's meeting in Y.
M. C. A. Hall, continues to attract good
audiences, and special music and
speakers serve to maintain a lively in-
terest. Hon. G. D. Gilman gave an in-
teresting talk on Praise, last Sunday.

FLAGS ON ALL SIDES.

CARNIVAL OF CHARLES WARD POST SUCCESSFULLY OPENED.

A brilliant company of ladies and gentlemen assembled in Eliot Hall, Newton, Monday evening, upon the occasion of the formal opening of the carnival under the auspices of Charles Ward Post 62, G. A. R. The doors were thrown open to the public at 7 o'clock, and in an incredibly short space of time the spacious auditorium, accommodating 2000 persons, was thronged with representative people. It was certainly a notable first night, initiating the week's festivities with an eclat which fully assures the success of the fair, both from a social and financial standpoint. The scene presented in the variety of costumes and beauty of surroundings was one to linger long in the memory. The plain blue garments of the veterans were, perhaps, the least conspicuous in the gathering. Many present were in full evening dress, and some exquisite gowns were worn by the fair sex. The military and naval officers wore handsome uniforms and the civic guests donned the conventional clasp-ham. Everything bore evidence of the interest felt in the success of the fête and its most worthy object, that of raising a fund for a memorial building in Newton, to be dedicated to the soldiers and sailors who served under the stars and stripes in the war of the rebellion.

The interior decorations were an especially beautiful feature. From the central chandelier streamers of red, white and blue bunting were extended to the sides and end walls, which were draped with national flags and emblems. The stage at the east end presented a camp scene. At the west end, over the gallery, a huge banner bore the inscription: "Grand Army of the Republic." The centre piece was a shield, surmounted by an eagle.

THE INVITED GUESTS

Hon. A. S. Pinkerton, president of the state senate; Col. W. M. Olin, Hon. George S. Marden, Senator G. D. Gilman, Representatives S. E. Howard and Dwight Chester of Newton, Mayor Hermon E. Hibbard, Alderman Harbach, president of the board; A. H. Roffe, president of the common council, and members of the Newton city government. Department Commander James K. Churchill, Senior Vice-Department Commander E. W. Hall and Junior Vice-Department Commander W. A. Wetherbee of the department of Massachusetts, G. A. R.

The invited guests were received in the afternoon by Chief Marshal William J. Follett at the Newton clubhouse, and there entertained by him. They arrived at the Newton station, after the festivities at the clubhouse, at 6 o'clock, and were there received by Charles Ward Post as the old guard, under command of C. W. Sweetland; the civilians' contingent, 200 prominent Newton gentlemen in evening dress, under command of Mr. George H. Jones; the Clavin Guard, 5th regiment, M. V. Co., under command of J. Wiley Edmunds; Camp 100, S. V., and the Newton High school battalion.

The arrival of the distinguished party at the station was the occasion of a brilliant pyrotechnic display and the rendering of patriotic airs by the Crescent band. From the depot the invited guests were escorted to the hall, where they were received by Commander Charles W. Sweetland of Charles Ward Post and formally presented to Marshal Follett.

OPENING ADDRESS

Chief Marshal Follett, in his opening address, said: "What more fitting celebration of the anniversary of the natal day of our nation's first great soldier than that we should lay the foundation of a memorial to those heroes who preserved to us, on a broader basis of freedom and equality, that glorious Union which he bequeathed us? Continuing, he said: 'To some, 1861 is only a memory of throbbing drum and clanking scabbard. To others it is full of heroic sacrifices and sufferings endured for love of country. To posterity, it is history, grand, glorious, but it is only history without the memories, without the relics and without the monuments. Newton did her full duty in 1861. Shall she not today, with all her wealth, her education and her veneration for the traditions of the past, do her duty by her posterity by erecting a memorial that shall do honor and credit to herself and preserve forever the names of her illustrious sons? The answer is yours, not by words, but by deeds.'

Short speeches were made by Hon. A. S. Pinkerton, Department Commander Churchill, Col. Carter of Brookline, Gov. Russell's staff and others, at the conclusion of which the carnival was declared formally opened by Mayor Hibbard.

Soon the hum of animated conversation gave evidence that the fair had begun in earnest. The various booths were eagerly scanned by the curious, and the shelves almost unconsciously found their way into the fair hands of the pretty girls and beautiful women who presided at the tables.

One of the most interesting features of the fair is a collection of war relics, consisting of over 600 articles. Among them are a piece of a cross beam from Libby prison, a section of a Parrott rifle shell taken from the stump of a tree which stood near the spot where Stonewall Jackson was mortally wounded, Chancellorsville, Va., May 2, 1863, and a hat, pierced by two minie balls, worn by Capt. R. L. Cooper of Cooper's confederate battery, which he was severely wounded at the battle of Spotsylvania Court House.

Among the variety of pretty and useful articles displayed at the tables is a silver tea service in leather actioned case presented to the post by the William Rogers Manufacturing Company of Hartford, Ct., and a valuable canoe, the gift of the Wards and 7 table. The gentleman who receives the largest number of votes during the carnival will get the latter article.

A hospital on the stage attracted a great deal of attention. It contained a cot, and was provided with all necessary emergency appliances. Five of the trained nurses from the Newton Cottage Hospital were in attendance. Dr. J. F. Frisbie, chief surgeon, and several local physicians constituted the staff. Dr. Frisbie had charge of a military hospital in Washington during the war.

THE PRINCIPAL COMMITTEES

Executive—C. W. Sweetland, A. T. Sylvester, E. E. Stiles, S. E. Morse, S. S. Whitney; treasurer, E. E. Stiles.

Reception committee—S. A. Ranlett, Charles Curtis, J. E. Gilman, T. A. Rowe, T. J. Holmes, E. S. Cording, C. C. Bragdon, C. B. Fillebrown, J. W. Heaton, A. H. Soden, David C. Scott. Carnival paper—S. S. Whitney, War relics—George M. Fiske, J. E. Fiske, George E. Johnson, J. F. Frisbie, W. B. Fowle, George W. Morse, E. Gott. Amusement and music—W. T. Shepherd, J. H. Hazlett, R. E. Ashenden, W. H. Pearson.

Chief Marshal, William J. Follett. Staff—Col. I. F. Kingsbury, (chief), Gen. S. H. Leonard, Col. E. H. Haskell, Col. W. D. Tripp, Col. J. N. Keller, Maj. W. F. Lawrence, Capt. J. A. Kenrick, Capt. J. C. Gilbreth, Capt. W. B. Fowle, Capt. A. C. Walworth, Capt. S. C. Kennedy, Capt. F. P. Barnes, Lieut. F. Frisbie, Lieut. A. C. Warren, Rev. J. B. Gould, J. Edward Hollis; aids-de-camp, Maj. G. H. Benyon, Capt. G. C. Applin, Lieut. R. B. Edes.

The ladies in charge of the tables followed. Wards 1 and 7, Mrs. A. S. March, president, Mrs. E. C. Fitch; Ward 2, Mrs. George F. Churchill, president, Mrs. N. H. Chadwick, Ward 3, Mrs. C. W. Sweetland, president, Mrs. C. H. Stacy; Ward 4, Mrs. George M. Fiske, president, Mrs. W. R. Dimond; Ward 5, Mrs. A. Erasmus Moulton, president, Mrs. A. Smith; Ward 6, Mrs. Robert R. Bishop, president, Mrs. Charles S. Grant; Sons and Daughters of Veterans, Mrs. Ida J. Allen, president, Miss Leonora Johnson; candy table, Mrs. John A. Kenrick, president, Mrs. A. D. Stephenson.

THE HISTORY OF CHARLES WARD POST is an interesting one. It was organized July 21, 1868, with 10 charter members and a total membership of 70. The charter members were Gen. Adin B. Underwood, Gen. J. Cushing Edmunds, Col. Isaac F. Kingsbury, Maj. J. P. Haviland, Capt. William B. Fowle, Sergt. Hosea Hyde, Brigade Surgeon A. W. Whitney, George S. Boyd, Fred S. Benson, Albert Plummer. Of the 10 charter members, five have passed away and five are still living.

The first meeting was held in Middlesex Hall, and Capt. William B. Fowle was elected the first commander. The first Memorial day parade occurred May 30, 1868, upon which occasion the local fire department and the school children, to the number of 500, turned out with the post. Over 3000 persons attended the exercises in the Newton cemetery. The post was presented with its first stand of colors by the late Thomas Rice, Sept. 15, 1868.

On Sept. 4, 1869, a fête in aid of the charity fund was held at Tanglewood, Capt. W. B. Fowle's estate, bordering on Charles river. A second fête was held at Tanglewood the following year. The post gave a reception to the citizens in the old town hall Nov. 20, 1871, upon which occasion it was presented with a second stand of colors by Mrs. A. W. Whitney-Sherwin, in behalf of the citizens of Newton. The portrait of the late Charles Ward, the distinguished Newton soldier for whom the post was named, was presented to the organization in 1872 by the Ward family. The following year, 1873, was marked by the planting of the first memorial tree. In January, 1874, the post established its headquarters in Tremont Hall, Newtonville. An event of the year was the presentation of several valuable engravings and a statuette of Gov. Andrew, the latter the gift of the late H. J. Wiley Edmunds, whose death occurred in 1876.

The post removed to its present quarters in Central block in 1880, and held a grand fair in aid of the charity fund in February, 1887, which met with gratifying financial success. The list of commanders from the date of organization until the present time is appended.

William B. Fowle, July 1868 to January, 1869; J. Cushing Edmunds, January, 1869, to July, 1869; Gen. Adin B. Underwood, July, 69 to January '70; Charles P. Clark, January, '70, to July, '70; W. W. Carruth, July, '70, to January, '71; George F. Brackett, January, '71, to July, '72; H. Graves, July, '72, to January, '73; Hosea Hyde, January, '73, to January, '75; W. C. Emerson, January, '75, to October, '75; David A. Conant, October, '75 to January, '77; Thomas Pickett, January, '77, to January, '78; W. W. Carruth, January, '78, to January, '79; George P. Clark, January, '79, to January, '81; Henry W. Downs, January, '81, to January, '82; W. A. Wetherbee, January, '82, to January, '83; W. H. Park, Jr., January, '83, to July, '83; A. T. Sylvester, July, '83, to July, '88; Samuel S. Whitney, July, '88, to September, '88; Rodney M. Lucas, September, '88, to January, '89; Samuel S. Whitney, January, '89, to January, '91; C. W. Sweetland, January, '91.

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TRUANT SCHOOL SELECTED.

THE SCHOOL BOARD TO REMOVE TO NEW QUARTERS. ROUTINE WORK.

The second February meeting of the Newton school board called out a good attendance. Messrs. Bond, Ober, Brackett, Lunt, Putney, Horabrooke, Drew, Harbach, Travis and Mrs. Davis and Mrs. Martin being present.

President Amos E. Lawrence of Ward six presided and the first business was a communication received from the city council, notifying the board of an additional appropriation of \$100 made toward paying for the new cannon for the N. H. S. battalion.

The report of Superintendent Aldrich was submitted. Regarding Sec. 6, Chap. 1, which provides that new classes can be formed only at commencement of the school year, he recommended the forming of classes in September and April. The necessity of new maps was urged and the matter was recommended to the text book committee.

The report was referred to the proper committee.

Mr. Ober for the special committee appointed to consider the removal of the board from the High school building to new quarters in the old Clavin school house, said that the three rooms could be procured there. The expense of fitting them for occupancy would not exceed \$500.

He then submitted an order requesting the city council to provide quarters for the board in the old Clavin school house at an expense not exceeding \$500. The order was adopted.

The committee on text books recommended and the board adopted Daniel's Latin and Woodruff's Greek composition for use in the High school to replace Jones' composition, also the Normal Course of Reading, Spelling and Grammar, Series of Readers, and Children's Primer and Eggleston's History for use in the grammar and primary schools.

Mr. Bond for the committee on finances offered an order appropriating the sum of \$12,764.79 for March expenses, which was adopted.

Mr. Lunt said parents had complained that some of the prevailing diseases in Ward Three was due to the sanitary condition of the old Clavin school house, but inspection by the board of health and state authorities had found the sanitary conditions of the school house in excellent condition.

Mr. Bond reported for the committee on finance, recommending that the city council be requested by Mr. Horabrooke and the motion passed, only two voting against it.

Mr. Harwood presented a petition signed by Mrs. Avery L. Rand and twenty other ladies of Ward Six, requesting that the school sessions in that ward be changed from two to one daily, 8:30 a. m. to 1 p. m. with a half hour intermission. It was referred.

The additional appropriation passed by the city council to pay for the cannon was then taken up.

Mr. Ober moved it be used for the purpose for which it was appropriated, and the motion passed, only two voting against it.

An order offered by Mr. Bond granting leave of absence to Mabel P. Davis of the High school from March 18, to the close of the school year with balance of salary, caused a long discussion.

The question of why it was done was answered, that it would show appreciation of faithful service. The teacher is out of health and had been ordered to rest by her physician.

The order was finally referred to the High school committee, and after a brief recess for them to meet it, was recommended and passed.

Mrs. Davis offered a similar order in favor of Elizabeth F. Paddock of the Franklin school, which was referred to the district committee.

Mr. Travis said teachers were entitled to four weeks vacation, and that would give the district committee ample time to meet and have such an order passed, extending the time as desired.

Common Council.

A special meeting of the Council was held Tuesday evening. President Roffe in the chair.

Orders from the Board of Aldermen were passed in concurrence, except the one appropriating \$2000 for improved sanitary arrangements at the High School building. When this order came up, Councilman Weed asked what this money was spent for.

President Roffe, in reply, stated that it had been expended in constructing urinals and sanitary arrangements for the High School building.

Councilman Bothfeld said that from the best information he could obtain, this money had been expended, and the work completed. Now we are asked to make the appropriation. This measure he understood had not been considered by the committee on Public Property. This method of doing business was not only wrong in principle, but in this case had resulted in unsatisfactory work, which, if it had been properly considered in the proper committee it would not have occurred. He had occasion to make similar criticism on the work of a chairman of committee last year, and believed such works should not be allowed.

He moved its reference to the committee on Public Property. Passed unanimously.

Councilman Bothfeld presented an order requesting the legislative committee to appear before the legislature in behalf of the bills giving citizens the right to sue for damages in denying and reconstructing highways making the tax levy on valuation of the preceding year instead as now of the bill exempting bonds from taxation.

The following petitions were received: Bunker E. at for sidewalks on Washington street, ward 7; Bunker E. at for crosswalks on Park and Washington streets, ward 7; Andrews et al. for a crosswalk on Watertown street, ward 2; Henry A. Terry, heirs for abatement of street watering tax; Young et al. for an arc light corner of Pleasant street and Ashton Park ward 6.

Councilman C. E. Ranlett, L. G. Pratt, Orlis Pette, I. F. Kingsbury, selectmen, Edw. Sawyer, Engineer of the town of Newton, relative to bill for defence of suit brought against them in regard to the Lemon drain.

BOSTON AMUSEMENTS.

GLOBE THEATRE—The record made at the Globe Theatre the last week by Miss Lillian Russell and her opera comique company in "La Cigale" has never yet been equalled in Boston, by an organization formed for light operatic productions. Despite the extravagant anticipations concerning Miss Russell's engagement they have all been realized, and more and this artist has the satisfaction of having gained the most unstinted praise.

The company is in keeping with the abilities of its star, and the production of "La Cigale" is worthy the people engaged in its performance. No better work has ever been done here in the way of stage appointments for an opera comique, and the lavish expenditure in elaborating the spectacular possibilities of the several scenes of the opera has been most judiciously made.

BOSTON THEATRE—"The Trumpet Call" is playing to big houses at the Boston Theatre. The play is strong and has an intensely interesting story, well interpreted by competent players. It is beautifully staged, and runs along with delightful smoothness. Among the company are such well known people as Messrs. Gustavus Levick, Frank Losee, Robert McNaire and Charles W. Butler; Miss Grace Filkins, Eleanor Moretti, Marion Elmore and Lillie Alliston, and Master George Kelly. There is plenty of good material in this piece, handsome costumes, military tableaux, stirring scenes and situations. The engagement is limited, so an early visit is advised to all who desire to see and hear "The Trumpet Call."

COLUMBIA THEATRE—Charles Frohman's Boston stock company, which is conceded by the New England press as one of the strongest organizations that has appeared in that city, first presented "The Lost Paradise" nearly two months ago in Boston, with the intention of following it with other plays during the season. The success of the play was instantaneous, and instead of presenting the piece for six weeks and following it

with other pieces, it continues to draw and will be continued for at least a three months run. A few of the important eastern cities will be visited after the close of "The Lost Paradise" in Boston with the entire company. Those who miss seeing "The Lost Paradise" will fail to see a fine play well acted.

HOLLIS STREET THEATRE.—No attempt at the description of the gorgeous splendors accompanying the action of "Cleopatra" is to be missed by Fanny Davenport at the Hollis Street Theatre next Monday evening, can equal the realities of Sardou's masterpiece of tragedy. It reaches the highest pitch of dramatic art and pageantry. The first act shows the Roman tribune at Tarsus in the foreground, with the Cyprus River in all its tropical luxuriance in the perspective. The next scene shows the palace of Rameses, a beautiful scene, warm and rich in tropical fire and architecture. The third act shifts to Memphis, in which is described a beautiful terrace, airy Syrian arches, lofty columns and hangings. The palace of action is the scene of the fourth act. In the background is the Gulf of Asia. The next scene is depicted before the Temple of Isis, when Cleopatra invoked the God of Storms. It is pronounced one of the most realistic scenes presented on the American stage. The final act discloses Cleopatra in the ante-chamber at her palace in Alexandria after the rout of Antony. Octavius Caesar is victor, Mark Antony staggers on, stabbed and dying in the arms of the queen. The suicide of Cleopatra follows. With a live asp wriggling on her bosom and Antony's name on her lips she expires.

BOWDOIN THEATRE.—There are few artists on the stage so well known and so thoroughly well liked both in and out of the profession as jolly Fanny Rice, who will be seen at the head of her own company of singers and comedians at the Bowdoin Square Theatre in the musical comedy written especially for her by Arthur Wallace, "A Jolly Surprise." Miss Rice has been upon the stage some eight or nine years, and has been unusually successful both in musical comedy and comic opera. She is the most versatile and vivacious artist on the American stage. Since first seen in Boston last fall "A Jolly Surprise" has been rewritten and greatly improved. New music, new business and many taking features have been introduced and Miss Rice's week at the Bowdoin Square may safely be considered an assured success.

Almost Killed.

I was almost killed by the doctors, who treated me for bleeding piles. It cost me over \$100 in relief. I took Sulphur Bitters for two months, and now I am well.—Gus. Hall, Troy, N. Y.

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Mortgagee's Sale of Real Estate.

By virtue of a power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by Isaac McEllan to Franis Jones, dated April 1st, 1872, and recorded in the Registry of Deeds for the County of Middlesex District, libro 1477, folio 538 will be sold at public auction, for the breach of the conditions in said mortgage deed, except parts heretofore released, namely: a certain piece or parcel of land situated in that part of Newton in the County of Middlesex near Newton Highlands Station, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by Winchester Street, 260 feet; Southwesterly by land now or late of Manoy Thornton, 112 feet; Southeasterly by land now or late of J. St. E. 144 feet; and Northeasterly by land now or late of Sally Mitchell, 102 feet. Subject to any unpaid taxes. \$500.00 will be required to be paid in cash by the purchaser at time and place of sale. HENRY P. SHAPLEY, Assignee and present holder of said mortgage. 20 4 t



Notice is hereby given of a hearing before the Board of Mayor and Aldermen, at City Hall, Monday evening, March 7th, 1892, at eight o'clock, upon the petition of the Newton and Boston Street Railway Company for the following locations for their tracks, namely:—On Walnut Street, from Homer Street, Southerly to Lincoln Street, On Beacon Street, from Summer Street to Centre Street, and on Centre Street, from Beacon Street, to Cypress Street (about 800 feet). On Homer Street westerly from Walnut Street about 300 feet with the necessary curves to allow a safe entrance into their proposed car house on Homer Street. By order of the Board of Mayor and Aldermen. ISAAC F. KINGSBURY, City Clerk. 20 2 t.

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The Tax on the Dinner Pail.

The Commercial Bulletin has presumed to call in question the accuracy of the Post's statements regarding the failure to produce tin plate in commercial quantity in this country, and the increase in the cost of articles made of this material. It says that the cost of articles of tin ware "has not been raised since the tariff went into operation," and that there are tin plate factories "in various parts of the country turning out thousands of boxes of tin a day."

In the first place, as to these factories. If there are thousands of boxes of American tin plate produced every day, where is it to be found? No one seems to have it for sale. There are tin plate factories in the United States for commercial purposes.

Then, as to the increase in cost caused by the tariff tax on the material. It is a fact of which the market experts take cognizance that the price of tin plate has advanced about 25 per cent, since the new tariff went into effect. The result has been the substitution of other material in many cases and an increase of the cost in others.

At the recent meeting of the Tin Plate Consumers' Association, the increase in the cost of two and three pound tin cans was stated to be six cents a dozen. "If packers do not advance prices," declared one of the members engaged in this business at Conneaut, O., "they will be compelled to make up the difference in the prices paid to farmers for growing the vegetables."

Whether tin plate can ever be made at a commercial profit in this country is, of course, a question. But to maintain that it is now so made, and that the people are not taxed for an experiment which is yet futile, is foolish indeed.

Money in Politics.

But there is another reason why this and other salaries should not be raised, —the increasing evil of purchasing nominations to office. The recent election of councilor throws a light on this mischief, which is perfectly well known to those who are behind the scenes. If every holder of an office by election in this state were compelled to disclose the amount of money it cost him to get the nomination, the figures would astonish the voters of the state. Now when a man has invested money in this way, he naturally and almost inevitably will try to get it back while in office if he can; and so the money of the people is used to bribe the people—not directly but by many kinds of indirection. To increase the salaries, and make these places worth more per annum, simply increases the sordid push for office by persons without fitness who will spend money to get it. The governor's council is becoming, like the United States Senate, a rich man's club, as Hals had said on a memorable occasion, and has ceased to be in any high sense a body representative of the people. Its members are no longer political leaders, like F. W. Bird, Thomas Talbot, and other men who had seats there in Gov. Andrew's time; nor are they to such an extent as formerly capable men of business, able to deal wisely and impartially with the state's financial interests. In the vacancy that has just occurred, had the question been submitted to the people of our district, I do not suppose the successful candidate on his own merits, or as known to the voters, could have got 3000 votes out of 30,000. Mr. Jeffs, on the contrary, would have received a plurality, though not a majority, and he, in spite of some unlucky rumors, was more than any man the choice of the district. I fancy this fact will disclose itself at the next election and that the councilor in 1893 will be either Mr. Jeffs or a Democrat,—if the Democrats have the wisdom to put up a good candidate. This having a candidate picked out for them by a few rich men in Boston does not please our people; it was this, as well as Gov. Russell's popularity, that defeated Allen last year; and it was this that combined with deeper moral causes to break down the supremacy of the whig party in Massachusetts, when I first began to vote.—Boston Cor. Springfield Republican.

Schoolmaster Walker.

Ex-Gov. Ames gets a sound lecturing from Congressman Joseph H. Walker for his waywardness on the tariff question. It is greatly to be regretted that there is not room in these crowded columns this morning for the latter's two-column open letter. Suffice it to say, however, that little boy Oliver must feel now as though his education on this subject had been badly neglected, and he mightily impressed with the learning and pedagogical capacity of his instructor. Mr. Walker declares that what the Republican party promised to do about the tariff was just the opposite of what Mr. Ames says it promised and just exactly what it has done; and he proceeds to point out what great things this new tariff has effected in the way of protecting American labor, fostering industries, stimulating foreign trade, etc. And now that he Worcester congressman has assumed the role of party schoolmaster, we would advise him that he must dust around more lively to keep the little boys from cutting holes in the benches and neglecting their opportunities. Here is Shelby Cullom of Illinois, for example, who has just been making such an exhibition of ignorance as Oliver has, by way of promoting his chances for the presidential nomination—and in fact, the room is full of such unruly fellows. The schoolmaster has his hands full.

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria.
When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria.
When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria.
When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

Two Kinds of Courage.

In some of the everyday occurrences of life women exhibit much more moral courage than men. You can see that on the "L" cars if you use your eyes. When a man retains his seat while a woman endeavors to maintain her balance by hanging to a strap in front of him, he generally makes a pretense of not seeing her. If he has a paper with him he will appear to be absorbed in its perusal. If he cannot avail himself of that convenient screen, he will pretend to be engaged in such deep meditation as to be oblivious to all that is going on around him. In one way or another he will betray the fact that his conscience is making a coward of him and that he is trying to cheat it.

It is very different with the average woman. Who that travels much in the "L" cars hasn't seen her often drop her child into a seat that has just been vacated, while women in various stages of weariness are standing up all around her? She has paid no fare for the child; she could very well continue to hold it in her lap; she knows that she is making some woman stand who would otherwise get a seat. But is she ashamed? Does she act as if she were ashamed of herself? Does she seek to avoid the glances that are bestowed upon her by hiding her face behind a newspaper? Not a bit of it. She doesn't let her conscience make a coward of her. She looks the people about her square in the eyes without flinching. She says, or rather seems to say, "Well, I know that you don't like it; but what are you going to do about it?"

If this isn't moral courage what would you call it?—New York Herald.

Hearts of Judges.

Ex-Judge Rearden says that all lawyers have hearts of mercy until they become judges. In the superior court, during the brief term he served, he always refused criminal cases, because the mother of the young man was sure to come around and show the gray hairs under her aged bonnet. Judge Rearden says that on two occasions he saw Judge Levy weaken under the effect of an old western bonnet trembling with stuffed roses. The first time was in a case of grand larceny, and the old lady who called asked the judge for a pass to the Episcopal home. She said that her son Fred had declared his intention to steal because he couldn't "get work," and whatever he had stolen was for her sake and because he "couldn't get work."

"Why," said Rearden, "when the old woman finished her story, Levy was crying as bitterly as she and the young criminal went to the house of correction with the smallest sentence he could get. "Next year the same fellow came up on an outrageous charge of robbery, and the ancient lady turned up as usual with a full set of tears. She shed them freely, but the judge was familiar with her tactics and the young man went over to San Quentin."

"The old lady was very ungrateful, for she rose in her might and cried: "Say, judge, you used to have a kind heart!"—San Francisco Examiner.

Imitating the Music of the Rain.

The melody of rain dancing on the stones or pelted down in its first drops on the dry soil of a forest or a heath is a species of sound which the art of music has yet to imitate if it would complete its at present very incomplete list of instruments. The Mexicans had some rattles made of very peculiar clay, with pips inside, which were intended to represent this sound. Certain tribes of the North American Indians have been similarly fascinated by the loud plash of water, to the beauty of which we have alluded before. They have instruments constructed accordingly, with a view to reproduce this sound.

Large buffalo hides are filled with water and sewed up in the manner of wine bags. Drums of cork, or with their heads covered by a very fine gum, are wielded by the player, and the gentle and monotonous plash of water is produced by the drumstick striking softly on the skin. The natives will sit and listen to these instruments for hours.—Good Words.

Ancient Works of Bronze.

The use and application of metal work and decoration, both as fixtures for appliances and useful domestic articles, are very ancient. We find records of bronze being extensively used by the Greeks and Romans, Greece especially bringing the arts of working bronze to perfection. Not only are works of colossal form produced by them in this metal, but the ornaments of their temples, doors, weapons, armor and the prows of their galleys, were made of it. They had also a process of hardening and tempering bronze, which enabled them to make this metal into many implements requiring a keen edge, such as axes, saws and so on.—Decorative Furnisher.

A Good Day's Find.

Some years ago a plowman at work in Cornwall had the good fortune to strike a kind of urn and scatter a number of coins, which on examination proved to be Roman, many of them of the time of the first emperor. They were of various sizes, and generally in a state of good preservation. The man collected about 1,600 of them, and, as he was ignorant of their value, disposed of them at a penny apiece; but undoubtedly at that rate he would be well satisfied with his day's work.—London Tit-Bits.

How the Gaffly Lays Its Eggs.

An insect known in the west as the gaffly attacks horses, laying its eggs on the animals. The horse licks itself and conveys the eggs to its stomach, where they are hatched, the worms clinging to the stomach walls. Very often they bore through the stomach and kill the horse.—Washington Letter.

The Place for Wicked Boys.

The bad little boys will relish this: "Henry, you are such a naughty little fellow that you are not fit to sit with those good boys on the bench. Come up here and sit beside me," exclaimed an exasperated teacher.—Once a Year.

High School Notes.

The annual public declamation, by members of the Senior class, was held in the Drill Hall, Thursday afternoon, Feb. 18, commencing at 2:30. A large number of the parents and friends of the school were present. The following program was well rendered:

Piano Solo Cachucha Caprice	Raff
Gertrude L. Trowbridge.	Prentiss
New England	Harry M. Stonemetz.
Hiawatha's Faith	Longfellow
Violin Solo Gavotte	Bach
The Duty of the American Scholar	Curtis
Aux Italians	Meredith
Piano Solo Papillon	Lavalee
Nellie E. D. Brown.	Waterson
The North and the South	Jerome D. Greene.
A Second Trial	Kellogg
Clara B. Barnes.	Anon
The Defense of Hofer the Tyrolean Patriot	Charles H. Stone.
Quartet The Song of the Bells	Parker

The following young men from '93 acted as ushers: Meana, Page, Bosson, Hollis, Howard, Stevens, Redpath, Dillingham, Priest and Felton.

An extra drill was held Saturday morning. The whole of the program for the 22nd was followed.

The new gun has arrived at the school from the Strong Arms Co. of New Haven. It is a modern breech loader. A glass front case has been put in the drill hall, opposite the main entrance, for the colors of the battalion. It has polished brass trimmings and adds greatly to the appearance of the hall.

The N. K. C. of '93 was very pleasantly entertained by Mr. H. F. Page at his home on Watertown street, Newtonville. The entertainment was Drive Whist, followed by dancing. Miss Florence Jewel won the ladies prize and Mr. Stewart Bosson the gentlemen's prize.

The school was given a recess from Friday to Wednesday, Tuesday being teachers visiting day.

God With Us.

(Sung at Tremont Temple at the 224th Boston Monday Lecture, February 8, 1892.)

Lord of our life, God whom we fear
Unknown, yet known; unseen, yet near;
Breath of our breath, in Thee we live;
Life of our life, our praise receive.

Thine eye detects the sparrow's fall;
Thy heart of love expands for all;
Our throbbing life is full of Thee,
Throned in Thy vast infinity.

Shine in our darkness, light of light;
Our mines to illumine, our night;
Make us responsive to Thy will,
Our souls with all Thy fullness fill.

We love Thy name, we heed Thy rod,
Thy word, our law; our guide, Thy rod,
We wait Thy will, on Thee we call;
Our light, our life, our God, our all.

Mr. Yatman at Ocean Grove Next Summer.

Word has just been received from Rev C. H. Yatman, who had charge of the Young People's Meetings here, that he will in answer to the unanimous call of the Ocean Grove management, lead again next summer. He writes that he is planning for bigger and better meetings than ever, and expects to be there from the opening Sunday the last of June to the close. Besides the daily young people's meetings he will hold Sunday business men's meetings, and also other special services such as his fertile brain may devise with the aid of the president, Dr. Stokes.

Mr. Yatman is now in the midst of successful revival meetings in New York and Brooklyn. The first of April he goes to Europe for three months, returning just in time for the great opening at the Grove.

A Monster Evergreen Nursery.

The annual catalogue of the Evergreen Nurseries, of Evergreen, Wis., has been issued, and this office has been favored with a copy. They now list fully three hundred varieties of coniferous evergreens. Some of them are very strange and unique in form and habit of growth. They have been to great pains and expense to secure seeds and plants of evergreens found native in all parts of the earth. If a man wants evergreens cheap but good, for screens, groves, windbreaks, or hedges, there is no better place to go in America. It is a mine of the marvelous, strange and curious forms in nature, there is no other place in this country where his fancy can be satisfied with rare and beautiful evergreens.

These nurseries are growing the plants in immense numbers, planting the seeds by the ton. They imported from one seed house in Germany last season 2300 pounds, besides all they gathered in this country large quantities from Colorado, California, Washington, and all the western states and territories. It is well worth any man's while to send for their lists.

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SEWER ASSESSMENTS.

The Legislative committee on drainage held a very important hearing Thursday on the question of a general law for sewerage assessments, and a large number of towns and cities were strongly represented. Mayor Mayberry and the chairman of the sewer committee of Waltham, Mayor Keith of Brockton, the Selectmen and Senator Smith of Athol and official representatives of other towns and cities who gave strong arguments for the passage of some broader general law, which would allow each town to adopt such system as was best fitted to its own case.

Mr. S. L. Powers and Prof. Langford appeared by request of citizens of Newton, and each made a forcible plea for the change. Mr. Powers made one of the most persuasive speeches, and argued for a law that would fit any case. He quoted the unanimous passage of an order by both branches of the City Council of Newton, requesting the legislative committee of the City Council to appear at the hearing in favor of the passage of such a law, and said the sentiment of Newton was strongly in favor of the proposed change, and also gave instances of the hardships of the present enactments. Mr. Powers received the hearty thanks of a number of Newton gentlemen who were present at the hearing.

City Solicitor Slocum was present, and said the legislative committee of the City Council of Newton had been instructed to appear, but had not yet been able to take action, and he therefore asked for a postponement of the hearing. As there were many other cities who wished to be heard, a postponement was granted for two weeks, when Newton will be officially represented.

SENATOR GILMAN is entitled to a great deal of credit for the triumph of the free pass bill, which has now successfully passed both houses. It was a hard fight, and all along there was an evident wish on the part of some members to kill the bill, but they did not dare to come out openly against it. As a competent critic of legislative doings says "The justice of the criticisms upon the bill might be admitted, and yet the sincere friends of reform knew it was better to pass an imperfect measure, trusting to the future for correction, than to put an insuperable obstacle in the very first step of progress. So that step has been taken, and if there are omissions or injustices in the bill they can be removed some other year. The Boston Transcript throws cold water on the bill by asserting that it is unconstitutional, and that when it comes up for enactment it may be referred to the supreme court.

OFFICIALS of the Boston & Albany railroad and members of the city council made a tour yesterday of the proposed route of the elevated road from Faneuil station to the Auburndale bridge. Several private conferences between the railroad authorities and the city fathers have been held of late, and the plan outlined in the GRAPHIC will probably be adopted. It provides for solid masonry walls holding a gravel road bed about 12 feet above the present grade in the aggregate. The details of construction have been previously given in this paper. The next step to be taken is that of securing the necessary legislative authority, as the plan is a decided departure from the ordinary method of abolishing grade crossings.

The G. A. R. Carnival has been the great event of the week and it is also the great social event of the year. It attracts people from all the wards and makes them feel that Newton is really a united city instead of a mere collection of villages. The weather has been rather unfavorable, but all hope for pleasant weather tomorrow, which will be Children's Day, and a large attendance both afternoon and evening is hoped for, in order to bring the fair to a successful close. The ladies seem to have been more than successful in the purpose they announced, to give every one the full value of their money, and the articles are marked at prices that make them genuine bargains. It is a great place to pick up desirable articles, either for presents or for one's personal use, and the ladies have certainly done their part towards making the fair a brilliant success.

EX-SENATOR BLAIR of New Hampshire has brought himself before the public again by announcing that he has really decided to accept the Presidential nomination if it is offered him. His motive in so doing is said to be because he did

not get the mission to China, which is still held by an Indiana Democrat, a friend of Harrison's. If Mr. Blair was sent to Minneapolis as a delegate, he might possibly get one vote.

The legislative committee on railroads has reported a bill providing that the city of Newton and the Boston and Albany railroad may have necessary authority to act jointly for the abolition of private and public grade crossings.

THE DRILL HALL DEDICATED.

N. H. S. B. SEMI-ANNUAL DRILL. ARTILLERY EVOLUTIONS. THE DANCE.

The new N. H. S. drill hall completed last year was thrown open to relatives and friends of the Newton High school battalion Monday afternoon, who gathered to witness the seventh semi-annual drill of the battalion, the first in their new hall.

The exercises commenced at two o'clock, but before that hour arrived almost every seat available was occupied, and about the entrance was a crowd of late comers who patiently stood throughout the exercises. Special efforts were made to provide seats for every lady and there were but few who were not afforded opportunity to see the drill in comparative comfort.

The officers of the N. H. S. calisthenic battalion were present in uniform, and several members of the city government and school board were present.

Park's orchestra of Waltham furnished music during the afternoon and evening. The "soldier citizens" of Newton appeared to great advantage in their improved uniforms. A stock has been added to the uniforms and additional trimming has been provided this year as follows: Infantry, light blue; artillery, scarlet; signal corp, orange; drum corp, white.

In a corner stood the new field piece which the city fathers so reluctantly aided in purchasing. It arrived from the gun works in New Haven, Conn., last week, Thursday, and is a handsome brass piece substantially mounted on brass tipped gear with ammunition boxes.

The judges for the afternoon were Col. Morse of the Boston School Regiment, Col. H. A. Waterman of the Second Massachusetts School Regiment, Malden, and Capt. Sears of the Brookline High School Battalion.

The battalion drill was commanded by Maj. R. C. Thomas and passed off very creditably, although it was hardly up to that of last year. The drum corp under Drum Maj. Holmes made a creditable showing for the time they had for preparation.

The junior competitive drill for the Howard medal was in command of Capt. G. K. Burgess of Co. A, and was participated in by first year drillers, thirty-one boys taking the floor in the first round. This was cut down to eleven in the second, and finally to three in the third and last round the boys being roundly applauded for an excellent showing.

Forty-six men entered for the senior competitive drill for the Fiske gold medal, under command of Adj. H. F. Crafts. The squad was reduced to twenty in the second round and to seven in the third and last round. The boys drilled like veterans and each seemed earnest in his endeavor to win the medal, and it must have been a task for the judges to decide upon the one most worthy the prize.

The sabre drill, one of the most interesting exhibitions of the afternoon was in command of Maj. Thomas of the battalion, and some new evolutions were introduced which added to its effectiveness. This is a drill in which dash and firmness contribute much to its effect, and several of those engaged appreciated this advantage.

The signal corps and artillery drill followed and the latter proved one of the most interesting features of the afternoon, introducing as it did, the new field piece, with its lieutenant, sergeant, corporal and seven cannoneers. The artilleryists had only one practice drill previous to the exhibition, but the orders of the commanding officer, Lieut. C. H. Stone, were executed with commendable promptitude and accuracy. The piece was run into position, the limber detached and wheeled to the rear, the ammunition pouch filled and carried on a run to the gun, the charges rammed home, the piece sighted and primed, and the lanyard pulled at the command, each man having his special part to perform. Meanwhile the signal corps under command of Lieut. F. T. Este were stationed at opposite ends of the hall engaged in their silent but important work. The message to be sent read as follows: "Gen. Hobart Moore; send two battalions Boston school regiment to our relief. Clayton."

The message as sent read "Gen. Hobart Moore; Send two battalions Boston school regiment to Southville. Clayton."

The dress parade was commanded by Maj. Thomas, during which the latter was presented with two magnificent bouquets.

Rev. Amos E. Lawrence, president of the school board, then addressed the battalion. He referred to the appropriate manner in which the new drill hall was being dedicated. That such a building had long been needed and desired for the Newton High school and long and patient work had at last been rewarded, and the battalion and school were to be complimented on their new drill hall.

The discipline and work in the different departments of the school are fitting each one for future life and the cornerstone of a character is now being laid. A certain duty by reason of his official position had developed upon him. May not only Newton be proud of her soldier citizen, but those with whom they come in contact later on. He reminded them of the true soldier's motto, "Never say die," and then presented the prizes as follows: Senior competitive drill, Fiske medal, Sergt. Hollis of the artillery squad, Sergt. Maj. Priest and 2d Sergt. Inman receiving honorable mention. Junior competitive drill, Howard medal, presented by Capt. S. E. Howard, Private Nickerson of Co. D., honorable mention, Private Hollings.

After the drill the hall was cleared for dancing which was enjoyed until eight o'clock, about 150 couples participating. The floor was in charge of the following officers: Floor manager, Maj. R. C. Thomas; aids, Capt. G. K. Burgess, Capt. E. R. Brackett, Capt. L. N. Whittey, Capt. G. P. Hatch, Adj. H. F. Crafts, O. D. H. M. Stonemetz, Lieut. W. Partridge, Lieut. C. S. Bryant, Lieut. H. F. Page, Lieut. R. G. Howard, Lieut. C. H. Stone, Lieut. F. T. Estes.

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The Players chose "Esmerelda" for their fifteenth series of performances and Monday and Tuesday evenings saw crowded audiences at City Hall.

The play was admirably given and it was acknowledged to be the greatest success of the club, both in stage setting and in the admirable manner in which the parts were taken.

The studio scene was an especially elaborate one, the walls being covered with rugs, tapestries and various artistic colored cloths, and a great number of sketches pinned here and there, while not the least attractive parts of the scene were the two pretty sisters of the artist in their fetching costumes. It was the most charming stage picture the players have yet given.

Mr. John A. Conkey as "Old Man Rogers" made a great hit, and it was the most clever impersonation he has yet given. His dialect was good, and in the emotional parts he never forced the scene.

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The innumerable evils civilized woman brings upon herself by wearing boots and shoes have often been recounted to her discredit. She is accused of inordinate vanity, overweening folly, and utter lack of common sense because of their size, style of manufacture, when it is only ignorance in regard to the anatomy of the foot and of the science and good taste which should devise its covering. Feet were assumedly given mortals to walk on, but nobody would ever suspect it from the many badly constructed boots of the present day. Had the world been tortured for fashion's sake, and because it does not know that shoe making par excellence is an art and not a mere trade, Mr. Samuel Appleton has taught Boston ladies the importance and the possibility of wearing an artistic and yet scientific boot. He has made a study of the human foot and understands how to adapt the prevailing fashion to its needs, as everyone who has been measured and fitted by him gratefully admits.

MARRIED.

DEWEY-BRAMAN-At Newton 231 inst., by Rev. Dr. Wolcott Calcutt, William Richardson Dewey of Boston and Margaret Percival daughter of George H. Brannan of Newton.

CLARK-ETHERINGTON-At Winthrop, Feb. 17, Augustus T. Clark of Newton and Margaret J. Etherington of Winthrop.

LOCKE-ATKINS-At Newtonville, Feb. 20, Wm. A. Locke of Rockport, Me., and Alice H. Atkins of Newton.

DIED.

ELY-21st inst., Mrs. J. A. Ely of Newton, 84 yrs.

GRAUPNER-At Newtonville, 21st inst., Mary Ann Graupner, wife of the late Stephen H. Graupner.

GORDON-At Auburndale, 23d inst., James M. Gordon, 70 yrs.

PERCY-At Newton Upper Falls, Henry Percy, 61 years.

GIBBS-At West Newton, Feb. 18, Lorenzo Gibbs, 63 years.

CLIFFORD-At Newton, Feb. 18, Daniel J. Clifford, 39 years.

LAWRENCE-In Newtonville, Feb. 19, Wm. A. Lawrence, 62 years.

RAMCENER-In Newtonville, Mary A. Ramcener, 60 years.

FENTON-At Newton, Feb. 23, Mary A. Fenton, aged 29 years.

SAGE-At Ireland, O., Feb. 24, Gertrude R. Sage, wife of William E. Sage and daughter of Moses G. Crane Esq., of Newton Highland. Funeral services at the chapel in the Newton Cemetery Saturday at 5:30 p. m.

STANTON-At So. Thomaston, Maine, Feb. 30, Mrs. Adeline G. Stanton, aged 69 years, sister of Mrs. H. T. Snow of Newton.

The swimming lessons at Lasell begin March 1st. See adv.



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but gave his lines with a truth and simplicity that was nature itself. His make-up and costumes were also excellent.

Mrs. Walter H. Stearns as "Esmerelda," was bright, pretty and charming. She was especially successful in the tragic scenes, and her acting in the third act brought down the house. In the first act she was made up wonderfully well as a young girl, and in the second wore an exquisite ball dress loaded with pearls and diamonds.

Mrs. James P. Tolman made a very effective "Old Lydia Ann" and entered into the spirit of the part with great force and enthusiasm.

Miss Louise Deetrick was charming as Nora Desmond and was ably sustained by Miss Boynton as Kate, both being as bright and pretty as the parts demanded.

Mr. Cornelius Walker was a very gentlemanly Estabrook, and Mr. E. W. Spurr was very effective as Dave Ballou, Jr., the American artist and Mr. R. A. Ballou, Jr., did good work in his two roles.

The work of the orchestra deserves especial mention, several of the selections being new and given with the excellence we always expect from this orchestra.

Mr. H. S. Kompton was acting manager, and Mr. G. R. Polifer, stage manager.

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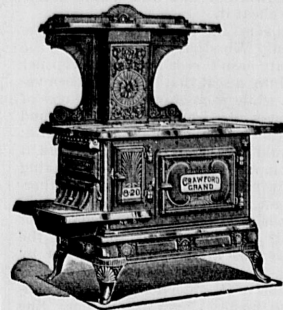
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The mortgagee's sale of Real Estate situated on the easterly side of Park Street, Newton, in the County of Middlesex and State of Massachusetts, under mortgage recorded with Middlesex So. Dist. Deeds, Book 2072, Page 28, advertised in this paper to take place on the premises, on Saturday, February 6, 1892, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, was adjourned by Edward P. Barnes, Auctioneer, until Saturday, February 13th, 1892, at ten o'clock in the forenoon on the premises, and on that last named date was again adjourned by the same Auctioneer until Saturday, Feb. 27th, 1892, at ten o'clock in the forenoon on the premises.

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C. Farley, tuner, 433 Washington Street.
—Mr. and Mrs. Boyden have returned from Portland, Me.
—Mr. J. R. Mullen has returned to his home in St. Louis.
—Miss Mary Byers has gone to New York for a short visit.
—Mrs. Dr. Talbot is at home again from her visit at Hartford.
—The Veteran Firemen's Concert will be the best given in the city this winter.

—Rev. Ira A. Priest will become a permanent resident of Newtonville next week.
—Mrs. John E. Butler of Linwood avenue is suffering with a severe attack of congestion of the lungs.
—Mr. Willard S. Higgins has returned from Denver, Col., and brings news of Mrs. Higgins' improved health.
—Captain Elliot is out again after his severe attack of rheumatism, and the other members of his family are gaining.
—Mrs. Francis Chamberlain's paper on "Blanche of Castile," given before the Castilian Club recently, scored a great success.

—Dr. N. Emmons Paine of Westborough is in Newtonville, and is to be for a few weeks until his West Newton property is refitted.
—Mrs. George W. Morse, who has recently returned from abroad, visited her sister, Miss Elizabeth E. Boit of Wakefield, last week.
—Rev. S. H. Roblin of the Columbus avenue Universalist church, Boston, will preach in the Universalist church next Sunday.

—Mrs. L. P. Chamberlain is at the Huntington, Boston, for the remainder of the season, having closed her house at Newtonville.
—Rev. R. A. White's family leave for Chicago next Tuesday, and the hearty good wishes of their entire parish go with them to the new home and work.

—Mr. George W. Pope's friends are happy to see him restored to almost his old state of health, after a long siege of physical and nervous prostration.
—The Worcester Art Club opens its exhibition tomorrow by a choice selection of Mr. Chalmers' water colors. Many winter scenes are among the number.

—The old Cladin school house has been inspected by the Newton Board of Health and the state inspector of public buildings, and has been pronounced in fine sanitary condition.
—Mrs. Mary Martin gave her paper on "Columbus," by request at the house of Mrs. Wertheimer, Belmont street, this morning, and on Monday at her home on Prescott street will continue her Shakespeare papers, subject "King John."

—Mr. James Beardsley, who has had charge of the Walnut street section of sewerage is very ill at Dr. Stoddard's house, Washington street, with slight hope of recovery. His home is in New York and his mother is with him now.
—The "Stories of the Veterans" as told in the little room in the lower hall, at the G. A. R. fair, are eloquent and no one should fail to visit it. The tales are told with strong but silent emphasis to many a tale of the stirring days of the war.

—Mrs. Geo. W. Morse's paper on "Art Life in Europe," given before the Woman's Guild on Tuesday, afforded them some great pleasure. Mrs. L. A. Chapman's paper entitled "A Corner of Switzerland" was read by Mrs. Martin, owing to the author's absence and was a charming reminiscence of travel.
—A fire started in Patterson's grocery store in Eagle block last Saturday but was extinguished before much damage was done. Mr. McGourty, the owner of the block, feels very grateful to the firemen for their care in using water, as the water damage was very slight.

—At the studios of F. M. Whipple & Co., Pearl street, Boston, are two large and beautiful memorial windows representing respectively Faith and Hope. They are for the Congregational church at Fair Haven, Vt., the gift of Miss Mary Stannard of that place. The compositions are artistically conceived, the coloring being soft and subdued and beautifully blended.

—The whist committee of the Newton Club has inaugurated the system of Kaleidoscope whist, games to be played each week on Saturday evenings. Last Saturday evening Dr. O. E. Hunt and Capt. L. A. Kourick evinced at was the scores were Dr. Hunt's side, 219; Capt. Kenrick's side, 200. Dr. Hunt and Mr. T. J. Marble will select sides next Saturday evening. Play commences at 8 o'clock.

—Mr. J. O. Smith and family of Newtonville had a narrow escape at the Newton Centre crossing of the Bos. & Albany railroad Saturday afternoon. They were in a Russian sleigh, and, while crossing the tracks, the horse fell. A train was approaching rapidly, but the presence of mind of a gentleman who witnessed the affair prevented an accident. He succeeded in swinging the rear end of the sleigh clear of the tracks just as the train went whizzing past. Mr. Smith's daughter was badly frightened and jumped from the sleigh. She was slightly bruised. The others were uninjured.

—Middlesex Court, 60, M. C. O. F., gave its fourth annual ball in Armory Hall, Wednesday evening. It was one of the most successful parties given under the auspices of the organization, and was attended by a large company comprising 125 couples. Dancing was enjoyed from 9 o'clock until midnight, with the exception of a half hour intermission when refreshments were served by Caterer Temple in the banquet hall. The music for the dancers was furnished by Hobbs' orchestra.

—Mr. Thomas Dalton had charge of the floor and his aids were Messrs. R. J. Morrissey, R. A. Hewitt, F. H. Stuart, T. F. Delaney, J. J. Carr, W. McDonald, D. G. Foley, M. P. Hartford, J. T. Burns, M. Morrissey, T. Waters, M. Rooney, D. J. Furden, D. Collins. The reception committee comprised Messrs. T. B. Fitz, F. M. O'Donnell, James Cannon, John McLean, T. F. Glennan, P. A. Murray, T. W. Mullen, P. R. Mullen, T. J. Hartnett, P. A. Mulligan, George E. Stuart.

—By the death of Mr. Wm. A. Lawrence this ward has lost one of its most respected citizens and older residents, he having moved here nearly forty years ago. His long connection in charge of the manufacture of Chickering & Sons, and late with McPhail, as well as under his own name, have made him one of the best known men and inventors in the piano line in New England. There were present at his funeral on Monday not only relatives and intimate friends, but a numerous delegation of the employees of both Chickering and McPhail, they testifying to their regard by most beautiful and suggestive designs in a large and rare. The services were conducted by Rev. Samuel Jackson of the Methodist church, where the deceased had attended, assisted by Rev. T. W. Bishop of Auburndale, a former pastor. Glowing tributes to his unostentatious but successful life were made in words recalling him as the kind father, loving husband, honorable citizen, genial and loyal friend, and most happily in comparing his life to those instruments it has been his life-work to make—square, grand and up-right. He leaves a widow and four sons. The interment was in Newton cemetery.

WEST NEWTON.

—C. Farley, tuner, 433 Wash'n st. Newton.
—The Lyceum meets again next Wednesday evening.
—Congratulations for Mr. and Mrs. F. T. Burgess. It is a girl.

—The Veteran Firemen's Concert will be the best given in the city this winter.
—Mr. and Mrs. Beech of Augusta are guests this week of Mrs. M. J. Davis, Eden avenue.

—Trousers made to order at J. H. Nickerson's for \$5.00, if you leave your measure at once.

—H. W. Savage has rented the Clark house on Lander street to Mr. Snow of Brookline.

—Rev. J. C. Jaynes of the Unitarian church spoke in the Y. M. C. Union rooms, Waltham, on Sunday.

—A farmers' institute was held in Athol, Saturday, and Mr. E. H. Wood of this place spoke about "Apples and Small Fruits."

—Mr. Nat Lane of Cherry street made a short trip home this week, departing Wednesday on a business tour through New York state.

—The Congregational churches of Newton were called to a council in Waltham on Wednesday evening, to organize a Swedish Congregational church.

—A guidon, a relic of the Coster massacre, the property of Sergt. John Ryan of Gen. Reno's command, is among the articles exhibited at the G. A. R. Carnival, last week.

—The Newton Club bowling team will play a match game with a team made up of neighborhood Club players some evening in the near future, the date to be announced later.

—A peculiar accident occurred in the Harvard street sewer, Tuesday. The inspector and another employee, Patrick Powers, entered the manhole with a lantern, resulting in an explosion of gas which had leaked in from a defective pipe. Both men were severely burned about the face and hands.

—There are letters at the postoffice for Mrs. E. M. Boles, Henry Buck, G. N. Boynton, Miss Kate Barrett, Mrs. Abby Bartlett, Michael Corcoran, Miss Carrie Carmon, George E. Case, Mrs. H. A. Clark, Miss Mary Cody, Mary A. Donovan, Miss M. A. Gerry, Mrs. S. J. Gould, Mrs. M. E. Green.

—A tender and impressive service was held in the Congregational chapel last evening in memory of the late Deacon R. W. Kendall. Letters were read and reminiscences were given which revealed the rare character of the man as interested in all good things. Few men have been so much loved and lamented.

—By additions to the annual reports the money raised by a choice selection of Mr. Chalmers' water colors. Many winter scenes are among the number.

—Mrs. A. I. Croll, of the Abbotsford, gave a large and handsome reception at her apartments last week. Mrs. Croll was assisted in receiving by Mrs. Arthur Brigham, Miss Katherine Lawrence of West Newton and Miss Plummer. Miss Lawrence and Mrs. Schwarzwaelder of Boston, poured tea and chocolate. The rooms were handsomely decorated by Grimmer.

—Mr. Lorenzo Gibbs died at his residence Washington street last Friday after a comparatively short illness. The deceased was about 50 years of age and was an old and respected resident. He was a man of a rather retiring disposition, possessing a kind heart and a sympathetic nature. He was honorable and straight-forward in all his dealings and had many sincere friends. He was a member of Newton Lodge 92, I. O. O. F., and that organization was represented at the funeral services which occurred Tuesday.

—The Red Bank Company held their annual meeting on Saturday afternoon in the Congregational chapel. Two hundred children were in attendance, a larger number than at any previous meeting. After march, games, etc., the business meeting was held and the same officers were elected as last year except the secretary, Miss Bertha Johnson. The children were then addressed by Miss Farnham with whom Miss Sheldon is associated in the Girls' High school at Andover in Turkey. She interested the children very much in a report of the girls who were kept in the school by the Red Bank money. She gave out and spoke of their personal appearance, character and progress in their studies. She gave also an account of those helped in previous years who had graduated. The Red Bank Company has been in existence and has given nearly \$1000 to mission aid. The banks this year contained \$71.08. A report of the largest sums were given as follows: Harold W. Shepard, \$3.32; Raymond Barker, \$4.06; Brewer Whitmore, \$3.27; Ethel Phillips, \$2.75; Anna Louise Dix, \$2.40; Fred Thompson, \$2.01. After a collation there were interesting exercises, consisting of songs and dialogues under the direction of Miss Emma Upham. At an early hour the children dispersed to their homes. At the next annual meeting it is hoped that Miss Sheldon herself may be present.

AUBURNDALE.

—Farley, pianos, 433 Wash. St. Newton.
—Don't fail to attend the Veteran Firemen's Concert.

—The Amphion Male quartet sang at the G. A. R. fair, Elliot hall, on Wednesday evening.

—Mr. P. A. Hartley and family of Wolcott street have returned from their visit to Fall River.

—Mr. A. B. Thompson of F. A. Child's store spent Sunday and Monday at his home in Woonsocket.

—Officer Bosworth is ill with the grippe this week and Officer Quilty has been covering the day beat.

—Mr. Rufus Estabrooks of Woodland avenue, who recently fractured his leg, is very ill with pneumonia.

—Mr. David Jackson of Weston has purchased a place and will remove to British Columbia the first of the month.

—There are letters at the postoffice for Miss Lillian Chandler, Teresa A. Donovan, M. J. Miller, Miss A. Pond, Maud A. Rolfe, Mrs. James Temple.

—The Auburndale Fraternal Benefit Association have received the word that the necessary papers had passed all right and they will be ready to receive members in a few days.

—Mr. S. E. Morse, formerly with Billings, Clapp & Co., chemical works, of Washington street, intends removing to Virginia, where he has purchased a large plantation containing nearly 1000 acres of land.

—The Auburndale people who were so fortunate as to take supper at the table furnished by the Ward Four ladies Tuesday evening at the G. A. R. fair are highly complimentary in their remarks, saying it must have been the best furnished by any ward.

—Mr. Morgage, who resides at Mrs. Dugan's on Ash street, was severely burned Wednesday. He was working in a man-hole at Newtonville when a gas pipe burst, and the escaping gas catching fire he was severely burned about the face and body before he could be got out. He was brought home and is now under the care of Dr. Thayer.

—The Amphion male quartet will sing at the tenth anniversary celebration of Crystal Lodge, A. O. U. W. in Wakefield, this evening.

—Mrs. Charles H. Sprague represents Ward Four on the committee selected by the ladies of the Newton Club to have charge of the furnishing of the ladies apartments of the new clubhouse.

—The meeting of the Latimer Y. P. S. C. E. at 6.30 was under the charge of Miss Bessie Shepherd and was one of the best of the year. The topic was, "God's word. How do you receive it?" The society is in a prosperous condition.

—On Sunday morning last the pastor at the Methodist church delivered a sermon full of encouragement and good cheer to those who may be bewildered by the mysteries of Providence. The text, "The Christian is a soldier," was well illustrated and thousands of angels." The speaker referred to the Almighty Power of our Heavenly Father, able to do for us above all we can ask or even think. The endless variety of needs are only a proof that God alone can supply them. Does one think many of the affairs of life too trivial for God to notice? The answer is, our God is God of all things. What but God could and would so interest himself in us?

—A meeting of the Newton Boat Club will be held at the boat house, Riverside, on Tuesday, March 1st, at 8 o'clock p. m. The purpose of the meeting is to elect a committee of five to nominate officers for the year 1892-93, also to take action upon certain proposed amendments to the by-laws. One of these is to take action upon a proposed amendment to by-laws article 22, making the limit of membership 300 instead of 250. There are now about fifty names on the waiting list. The advisability of the erection of an addition to the boat house at the down-river end to include additional space for dressing room and lockers, will be considered and the executive committee will be authorized to order delivery about May 1st, an additional number of canoes for next season. A full attendance is desired.

—James M. Gordon of this village died yesterday at the age of seventy-seven. He was one of the corporate members of the American Board of Commissioners for Foreign Missions, and for many years its treasurer and a member of the American Council and Education Society, attending to the duties of the office until within a week of his death. For thirty years he was connected with the Columbian National Bank, for fifteen years as its cashier. His widow and five children survive him. The oldest, Mrs. Alice Gordon Gulick, has been for twenty years a missionary in Spain. The other two daughters, Elizabeth and Anna, are identified with the work of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union, Anna being the private secretary and friend of Frances E. Willard. Henry, the oldest son, is principal of the academy at Trinidad, Col., under the New Education Commission, and the other son, Frederick, is a leading merchant of Columbus, Ga. The funeral took place at one o'clock today.

—A smoke talk, under the auspices of the Newton Boat Club, in the clubhouse, Riverside, Saturday evening, proved a very interesting occasion. The speakers were Commander Walter U. Lawson and Vice-Commander James W. Cartwright, Jr., of the eastern division, American Canoe Association, and Capt. W. A. Hall of the boat club. The two gentlemen spoke of "The Beauties and Pleasures of the American Canoe Association Camps," and the latter of the scenes and surroundings of the Charles river. Stereoscopic views of the canoe camps and of the Charles river were shown, the former presenting almost every phase of camp life, and picturing many beautiful spots in the vicinity of Lake Umbagog, New Hampshire. The Charles river views included pictures of the Newton boat house, Echo bridge, Norumbega tower, Benyon's pond and other places of interest along the course and in the vicinity of the river. Ex-Commander Lawson stated that the next meet of the A. C. A. commenced Aug. 5 and continued three weeks. He expressed the hope that the Newton Boat Club would be represented by largely increased numbers this year. After the exercises attention was called to the importance of securing an additional summer train service between Boston, New Haven and New York, and a petition was largely signed requesting the Boston & Albany Railroad Company to run an additional train. There was a large attendance of boat club members at the smoker, about 150 gentlemen being present.

WABAN.

—Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Dresser leave for Chicago on Saturday.

—Mrs. Morse is visiting friends out West.

—Mr. Herbert C. Ward will conduct the services here next Sunday.

—Mr. Barnes is slowly recovering from his accident on the toboggan slide.

—Mrs. E. J. Wilson is making a short visit with Mrs. W. R. Dresser of Chestnut street.

—The dancing school opened last Saturday evening. Owing to Mrs. Fuller's sprained knee, Mr. Sargent (Boston's finest teacher) will take entire charge.

—The usual Sunday evening sing was omitted last Sunday on account of the storm.

—The Benevolent Society met last Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. Henshaw.

—China painting now seems to have become the craze. Mrs. Robinson having started a class.

—Early Tuesday morning Mr. Comer was awakened by a man prowling around his house. Arising he discharged his revolver, calling Officer Mitchell to the scene, who immediately telephoned for aid. Several officers were soon in search for the intruder, but he had disappeared. Waban residents keep their revolvers loaded for one thing and burglars had better come clad in suits of armor.

—The Waban Land Company expect to close 50 more lots on the market in the spring.

—A LADY or gentleman can be properly and elegantly clothed at S. A. MERRITT'S. Forty-six Temple place, Boston. Send for circular.

—The Auburndale Fraternal Benefit Association have received the word that the necessary papers had passed all right and they will be ready to receive members in a few days.

—Mr. S. E. Morse, formerly with Billings, Clapp & Co., chemical works, of Washington street, intends removing to Virginia, where he has purchased a large plantation containing nearly 1000 acres of land.

—The Auburndale people who were so fortunate as to take supper at the table furnished by the Ward Four ladies Tuesday evening at the G. A. R. fair are highly complimentary in their remarks, saying it must have been the best furnished by any ward.

—Mr. Morgage, who resides at Mrs. Dugan's on Ash street, was severely burned Wednesday. He was working in a man-hole at Newtonville when a gas pipe burst, and the escaping gas catching fire he was severely burned about the face and body before he could be got out. He was brought home and is now under the care of Dr. Thayer.

Lasell Notes.

Mr. Percival Chubb of England will lecture at Lasell Seminary, March 2nd, at 9.30. His subject will be Robert Louis Stevenson and the Romantic Revival.

The reunion at the Thorneike Hotel in Boston, Thursday, Feb. 18, was truly a notable affair. A school representative in New England were invited and all the six states were fully represented. It was remarkable that many of the pupils of the early classes, graduates of 1892-'97 and '98. They were grave matrons, but for the day as young as any of the girls. Prof. Bragdon was persuaded to make a brief speech of welcome, and some of the graduates gave recitations and music, but the chief delight was in the meeting of old friends and pleasant chatter as old associations were renewed. It was a perfect success and will probably be an annual thing. About two hundred were present. Any one who had in former times been connected with the school as teacher or pupil was included among the invited within New England limits and all of the present faculty. The committee were Miss Lizzie M. Whipple of Boston, Mrs. A. F. Winslow, Mrs. Potter, Mrs. Sampson and Mrs. Coffin of Newton, and Merriek of Walpole.

Mr. Bragdon gave a talk upon Joppa or Jaffa at the Methodist church, Sunday evening, Feb. 21, using the black board and various curios to explain his remarks.

Mr. Herbert L. Rich, head of the department of Natural Sciences, lectured at Ashland, Friday evening, upon Glaciers and their formation, illustrating with the stereopticon. He will continue the subject at some future dates. Arrangements are being made to give free use of the stereopticon to his daily classes.

Mr. William T. Shepard will conduct the annual party to Washington in the April vacation. Miss C. J. Chamberlayne will accompany the party.

Arrangements are being completed for the summer trip to Europe, under the escort of Mr. and Mrs. Shepherd.

The cooking demonstration was deferred Wednesday evening, Feb. 24.

Tuesday evening, Feb. 23, most of the members of the school attended the G. A. R. carnival in Newton. Maj. Benyon's pupils, the Lasell Battalion, were in uniform and marched in with military ceremony and took their places with the other soldiers.

The school prayer meeting took place Wednesday evening, Feb. 24.

The Battalion attended the High School Drill at Newton on Monday.

A small party attended the Apollo Concert, Tuesday evening, Feb. 23.

Newton Co-operative Bank.

The notices of the annual meeting of this flourishing corporation, for the election of officers for the ensuing year, to be held at the office of the Bank in Newtonville, on Tuesday March First, have been mailed to the shareholders.

We have been permitted to see the advance sheets of the annual report, to be read at the meeting, and confess surprise at the growth and vigor of this institution, which will be three years and six months old on March first.

As shareholders number 686, who hold 5518 Shares, its loans on Real Estate First Mortgages, all in Newton and its immediate environment, amount to upwards of \$133,000. Two dividends of 3 per cent. each have been credited to shareholders during the year, and upwards of \$700, carried to Surplus and General Funds.

The Directors of the Bank rank among the best known of our citizens, the usefulness of the institution to the community, has been proven, and we congratulate the officers that their wise and conservative management has enabled them to equal as small sum as one dollar per month in a home institution, which will earn 6 per cent. interest, from the day of deposit, free from tax.

We congratulate the borrowers, most of them heretofore rent payers, that they are now their own landlords, and that they are now the Bank is earning for them at compound interest, a sum that in a comparatively few years, will result in a home free and clear.

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Mortgagee's Sale of Real Estate.

By virtue of a power of Sale, contained in a certain mortgage deed given by Jonathan F. Horrigan to Henry Fuller dated Feb. sixth 1891, and recorded in the registry of deeds for the County of Middlesex, South District, Lib. 20.5 Page 163. Will be sold at Public Auction for breach of condition, on the premises.

On Monday, March Twenty-eighth, 1892, at four o'clock in the afternoon, all and singular the premises conveyed by said mortgage deed, namely—a parcel of land with the buildings thereon situated in that part of Newton in the County of Middlesex called Newtonville and bounded: Beginning at a point on the southerly side of Washington Street at the late of William R. Wilson and now owned by one Horrigan, and running southerly by said Horrigan's land, about sixty three (63) feet to the line of the Boston and Albany Railroad Corporation, thence easterly by said Corporation's land seventy five (75) feet to land formerly of Henry White but now of one Pearson thence northerly by land of said Pearson about fifty nine (59) feet to the southerly line of said Washington Street thence westerly by said line of said Washington Street seventy five (75) feet to the point of beginning. This sale is made subject to a mortgage to the grantee for One thousand dollars and unpaid interest thereon. One thousand dollars will be required of the purchaser at the time and place of sale.

HENRY FULLER, present holder of said mortgage.

Sat. Feb. 27th, 1892.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, ss. PROBATE COURT.
To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, and all other persons interested in the estate of Lorenzo Gibbs late of Newton in said county, deceased.

GREETING:
Whereas a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court for Probate by Lawrence Bond, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him, the executor therein named, and that he may be exempt from giving a surety or securities on his bond pursuant to said will and statute;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Lowell in said county of Middlesex, on the third Tuesday of March next, at nine o'clock before noon to show cause, if any you have against the same.

And said petition is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once a week, for three successive weeks, in a newspaper called the Newton Graphic printed at Newton, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, George M. Brooks, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twenty-fifth day of February in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-two.

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THE MISER OF MARSEILLES.

Marseilles is a city of fountains, and has a fine aqueduct, almost entirely subterranean, by which pure water is brought from the little rivers Huveaume and Juvet. But this was not always the case. Look back with me many, many years, and I will show you how ill it used to be supplied with water, and how in the fulness of time it came to be otherwise.

Once upon a time—I know not exactly the date—there dwelt at Marseilles a man named Guyot, with his wife and one son. They were but humble people; and at the time my narrative begins the child lay sick of a fever, his tongue cleaving to the roof of his mouth, and his little hot hands pressed to his still hotter forehead, while he ceased not to cry in a plaintive tone for a draught of water.

"Alas! my child," said Mme. Guyot, in reply to his moaning, "you know I have told you already the cistern is empty. Not a drop of water have I in the house, and I fear all our neighbors are as badly off as ourselves. See, take a draught of milk; I have nothing else to give you."

"But, mother, it is not like water," replied the boy. "It makes me only more thirsty, and almost chokes me. It seems so thick; while water is so cold, and refreshes me for a long time. But alas! you have none to give me. If it would but rain, for I am burning! Oh, if I were rich, I would care little for the finest wines if I had but plenty of fresh, pure cold water!"

Mme. Guyot, with true maternal love, strove to pacify the young sufferer; and having succeeded in partially relieving his cravings by means of a draught of water which a kind neighbor, scarcely better off than herself, sent by the hand of her little daughter, he at length slept. Even in his dreams, however, the memory of his feverish longings haunted him, and his plaintive cry for water at recurring intervals brought tears to the mother's eyes; and she tried softly, dreading to awaken the boy, lest by so doing she should also awaken his desires to greater activity, when she knew she was without the means of satisfying them.

Seven years later, and the fever-stricken boy had grown into a fine, thoughtful youth of sixteen. No longer dependent on his parents, the young Jacques Guyot cheerfully performed his part in gaining a living. One evening, after his return from work, as Mme. Guyot was busily engaged in placing the evening meal on the table, she said to her son: "Jacques, you must be content with less than your usual quantity of water to-night, for again the cistern is nearly dry."

"I am sorry for that, mother," replied Jacques; "but though we have no more very scarce of water, at least we have never wanted it so badly as when I had the fever."

"Oh, Jacques, can you ever forget that?"

"Never, mother. No day passes but the torture I suffered then for a draught of water comes into my mind; and I pray no man his wealth in anything save his more abundant supply of that one good gift. Is there no way of relieving this want by which the poor of Marseilles suffer so much and so often?"

"It is just because the poor are those who suffer that they must continue to do so. Wealth might remedy the evil," answered his father.

"How so?" asked Jacques.

"Easily enough. Only let an aqueduct be constructed to bring pure water from a distant river."

"And what would that cost, think you, father?"

"More money than you could count, my son," replied the elder Guyot; "so let us to supper before it is as cold as the water you are always dreaming about."

The meal over, Jacques wandered in the garden thoughtfully and silent, but not unnoticed by his parents. They conversed together in an undertone about the extraordinary manner in which his mind dwelt on the one night of suffering from thirst so long ago.

"It is strange," said Mme. Guyot, "how the lad is always thinking of it. I quite feared to tell him how little water we have left to-night, for it seems to grieve and trouble him so much; not for ourselves alone, but lest some unfortunate should have to bear sufferings like those he experienced seven years ago."

"Well," replied the father, "even that is not the chief object of his anxiety."

"Why, surely he does not fancy himself in love yet?" said Mme. Guyot, in an accent of scorn.

"Our neighbor's daughter, Madeline, casts sheep's eyes at him, I know, young as he is; and Jacques often tells her how like a little angel she seemed to him when her mother made her the bearer of that draught of water. But it is, doubtless, only nonsense, for he is still a boy, and she is a full year younger."

"I was not thinking of Madeline, wife," replied M. Guyot; "in my opinion Jacques loves something better than all the little damsels in the world—I mean money. He is always hoarding every sou he can collect, and trying by all sorts of extra services to earn more than his daily wages; and I am not at all sure he will turn miser, since he spends nothing he can avoid."

"Oh, if that be the case, he is, doubtless, thinking of some girl and trying to save against the time when he is old enough to marry; but he is a good youth," added Mme. Guyot, brushing a tear from her eye at the thought of having a rival in the love of her only child.

"Ah, wife," said her husband, "you are almost jealous of the little Madeline; but, remember, you cannot expect to keep this one lamb of yours always by your side; and I say that if the thought of having some day to provide for a wife makes the lad so saving, I for one am well content."

The return of Jacques here stopped the conversation. Hours after his parents were at rest the youth sat by the lattice in his little chamber. A luxuriant vine hung over the casement, and, waving backward and forward in the moonlight, cast fantastic shadows on the wall. Little knew the parents of Jacques by what strong feeling he was actuated, though both were in part right—the father when speaking of his almost miserly habits, the mother in believing that her son loved Madeline.

The youth possessed one of those thoughtful natures which become old too soon; and those who wonder at love in a boy of sixteen must remember that in southern France the blood runs warmer than in colder climates. It was indeed wonderful how he always thought of Madeline in connection with that night of feverish agony—how like a ministering angel the child had seemed in his eyes when she tripped lightly in with a cool drink to satisfy his longing. The cup of cold water had worked with a

marvelous charm, and the youth regarded the girl with a feeling akin to worship. In the eyes of others she was just a bright-eyed, laughing thing, somewhat wilful and capricious at times, as girls are apt to be; but to poor Jacques she was a being of heavenly beauty.

The recent scarcity of water had again brought the old scene most vividly to his mind, and you might have seen by the moonlight how pale and agitated was his face. After a long vigil he rose, and taking from a secret repository a sum of money, he slowly recounted it, and then, gazing earnestly on his treasure, said softly: "It might be done in a long life time, but—Madeline, Madeline!" Then, with tears streaming down his cheeks, he flung himself on his knees to pray. Poor Jacques! He prayed with such earnest, simple faith that he rose tranquil, and, seeking his couch, soon fell into a sound sleep.

Three more years went by, and still Jacques continued active to his store, so scrupulous was he in denying himself every superfluity that the neighbors whispered how the young Guyot had become a miser. Some did more than whisper—they spoke openly to his mother respecting this peculiarity in her son. Mme. Guyot looked very suspicious and gave mysterious hints about the virtue of sparing on one's self to spend on another, glancing as she spoke at Jacques and Madeline, who were just visible to the group of gossip.

Let love be the presumed cause of a miser's action, a woman will hardly ever deem him in the wrong, however extravagant they may be. So it was with the gossips at whose self-constituted tribunal Jacques was tried, and from that time many a sly joke was levelled at Madeline, till the little damsel's head was almost turned with thinking of the—of some rich suitor. There had been no hoarding by her admirer for her to spend some day. She felt she was beloved, for it is not hard to divine when one is the dearest of all earthly objects to a pure and honest heart; but in spite of her convictions in this respect the conduct of Jacques was a sad puzzle to her.

"He is never so happy as when by my side," she would often say to her mother; "that any one can see; but I do not think he cares to gain me for a wife."

The mother would bid her be patient, and all would in time turn out well; but Madeline thought there should be no short answers. Still, though she evidently succeeded in giving him pain, he seemed as far from declaring his sentiments as ever.

The crisis, however, came at last. Madeline had a cousin Marie, who was not only a near neighbor, but also a sort of rival beauty. There had been no slight jealousy between the girls on the subjects of love and marriage; but Marie had at last triumphed, and the day for her own wedding being fixed, she openly twitted Madeline about her lagging lover. This was a sad blow to the vanity of the young girl. Marie's fiancé came from what was in those days considered to be a great distance, and grudging neither spending time nor money in visits to his betrothed; while Madeline, with her lover almost at the door, seemed likely enough to remain single. Oh, it was too much for any maiden's patience!

The wedding-day came, and she, of course, was one of the guests together with Jacques; and the girl, bent on punishing her tardy admirer, coquetted with others by his very side. But she did not stop at coquetry only. The brother of the bridegroom, a gay and handsome fellow, now at Marseilles for the first time, was smitten with her charms, and, after the wedding, found or made many excuses for visiting the town which contained Madeline. Jacques, it seemed, would not be piqued into submission, and she was not inclined either for a spinster's life or a longer silent wooing; so, after some hesitation on the part of her parents, who still leaned to their neighbor, partly from old associations and still more because of his reputed wealth, Madeline was betrothed to the stranger.

Mme. Guyot often sighed, and said in her son's hearing that it was a pity two of the prettiest maidens in Marseilles should be carried off by strangers; for she had long ago made up her mind that since Jacques would needs marry soon or late, it would be well to have a daughter-in-law whom she had known from babyhood. All her hints might have been unheard, for any outward effect they produced on her son; but when the marriage day came he remained shut up in his chamber. Neither food nor drink passed his lips; but could he have been seen by any one, a mighty mental conflict would have been revealed to the watcher—it was the last struggle with human passion.

The last bar to his devoting himself to one great object was removed.

The gossips who had at one time interested themselves in the affairs of Jacques and Madeline once more twitted Mme. Guyot, saying that it plainly was not love that made her son such a miser in his habits; but she answered them more proudly than ever that Jacques would now look higher for a wife.

So first one great lady and then another was said to be the fair object for whom our hero cherished a secret passion and whom he was trying to equal in wealth. But though Mme. Guyot fostered the idea, she, poor soul, knew better; for only a few days after the marriage of this love, Jacques was in the street, in a broken voice, to find out who the little vessel in which Madeline had borne the precious draught of water to his bedside, a dozen long years ago, were still in existence.

"Oh, my son," said Mme. Guyot, "since you do love Madeline why did you let her go? She would not now be the wife of a stranger if you had asked her for herself."

"Better as it is, mother," replied Jacques, though his lip quivered while he spoke, and he again begged his mother to procure what he had mentioned at any cost.

Mme. Guyot's mission proved successful, though the mother of Madeline marvelled greatly at the request; and both the worthy matrons agreed that the conduct of Jacques was a problem beyond their power to solve. Eagerly was the little vessel seized by him, and, after having many grateful thanks on his mother, he conveyed it to his own little room. Could the thing of clay have spoken it might have told how, when others slept, Jacques spent many an hour in sighs and even tears. Ay, for every drop of water it had once held the strong man paid in tears a thousandfold.

Years sped on, and the father and mother of Jacques passed from the earth. The young man had been called a miser even during their lifetime, but now, indeed, he merited the title. Ever craving for money, he added to his store by strictest parsimony. His clothes were patched by himself, and again and again, till no traces of the original stuff remained. Generally his feet were bare, and even when he wore any covering on them it consisted of old shoes which had been cast away as worthless and picked up by him in his solitary wanderings

through the town. His food was of the coarsest description, and taken simply to sustain life. He no longer occupied the dwelling in which his early days had been spent; his present home was an old roomy tenement, but with a degree of strength which defied any attempt at entrance unaided by the will of its occupant—at least without a degree of force being used which must inevitably have led to discovery. Here, then, dwelt Jacques Guyot quite alone. But far worse than alone was he when absent from his house, for the evil repute in which he was held was such that as he walked the little children ran shouting after him: "There goes Guyot! See the wretched miser, how thin he is! He grudges himself food to make himself fat, and clothes to cover his lean old body!"

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Ocean Grove as a Health Resort.

A lady who has often visited in Newton writes as follows of Ocean Grove as a health resort:

Our son, who had lung trouble, and who had been ill for several months, having hemorrhages almost daily, had a dreadful cough and every symptom of consumption. He was examined by some of the best doctors in New York and they could give no encouragement, but advised that he had better be sent to Colorado. We could not think of such a thing in his weak condition. Our own doctor said he must go somewhere out of the city and try a change of air. Everything that medicine could do had been tried. He did not improve. His cough was incessant and dreadful. He could not lie down.

It was the last of February and a bad time to go anywhere. We suggested many places for him, yet he could not make up his mind to go to any of them, but said he would like to go to Ocean Grove. We had a cottage there the season before, and he felt it would be like home. We all thought it the last place to take him, so did his doctor, also the doctor who said he must go somewhere out of the city and try a change of air. Everything that medicine could do had been tried. He did not improve. His cough was incessant and dreadful. He could not lie down.

He was 20 years old, six feet tall, and usually weighed 170 pounds. I do not think he weighed more than 135 when he started for the Grove. He had been ill seven months, the result of cold settling on his lungs.

He grew better almost from the first day, the air seemed to soothe and heal him, and although his cough seemed very bad, he did not have a hemorrhage. He was able to go to the beach, and he felt able to go to the beach walk. After he had been there six weeks he wanted to come home for a week, but the second day he had a hemorrhage and had to go right back. When he had been at Ocean Grove four months his cough was entirely gone, and he was able to take long walks, and to breathe quite freely, although it still gave him a sharp pain to breathe deep. When he had been there five and a half months he came home entirely well and weighing 188 pounds.

He was ill just one year, and came home well. He still enjoys the best of health, has had no trouble with his lungs, is very fond of athletic sports, and indulges as much as he pleases, entered a swimming contest and won, and rowed on two different occasions all round Manhattan Island, this to show you how perfectly well he is to-day. And I thought perhaps some one reading what it did for him, might have courage and not be sent off to Colorado, so far from home and friends. I do not say that my son had consumption, but the trouble was all about the lungs and bronchial tubes, and it was only a question of days or hours when it would become consumption. He was not the care of the doctor at the Grove but his own doctor saw him once a month, and thought his progress wonderful, and his recovery almost a miracle.

Uncleaned Sidewalks.

To the Editor of the Graphic:

All of our citizens are or should be interested in the improvements and growth of Newton; during the summer months the streets are carefully cared for and made attractive to the eye of all who pass through them; why the same care and attention should not be paid to them in the winter season, it is hard to understand. We are informed that the streets of Jerusalem were kept clean, because each man kept clean that part of the street which was in front of his house.

In the winter our streets are rendered impassable to the pedestrian, because the snow which falls upon the sidewalks is not removed by each man from the sidewalk in front of his house. The motives which actuate such neglect are probably first, an imperfect understanding that such neglect causes the weak, the infirm and the aged, to restrain their movements and restrict them from exercise in the open and bracing winter weather that would be so beneficial to their health. Even the strong and vigorous pedestrian is deprived of much comfort and caused much inconvenience by being obliged either to walk in the driveway or else hobble slowly along our rough, uneven and slippery walks. If it is from a desire to economize in expenditure that causes such a condition of our sidewalks to exist, it would appear that this was "verily a day of small things." There are many other ways in which economy might be practised without imposing upon our neighbors. It would seem more judicious to expend for a few pennies and possibly for blankets to cover the benighted African, for the purpose of removing obstructions from our sidewalks, which if allowed to remain are a perpetual menace to the limb or life of unwary passers. The prayers of the suffering and the aged, and the curses of the wicked evoked by involuntarily falling, are supposed to have some weight. The patience of those who in the past have been affected by the existing shameful condition of our streets is at an end, and it is proposed by some persons, that if the city will, it will accomplish the prompt clearance of the sidewalks of snow, to commence suit against the city for permitting the public walks to be obstructed to the free use of the most feeble pedestrian.

I have been a sufferer from catarrh for years. Having tried a number of remedies advertised as "sure cures" without obtaining any relief, I resolved never to take any other patent medicines, when a friend advised me to try Ely's Cream Balm. I did so with great reluctance, but can now testify that after using it for six weeks I believe myself cured. It is a most agreeable remedy—an invaluable Balm.—Joseph Stewart, 624 Grand Ave., Brooklyn.

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Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

Dewey-Braman.

The residence of Mr. George H. Braman, Ivanhoe street, was the scene of a notable society event Tuesday evening, the occasion being the marriage of his daughter, Miss Margaret P. Braman and Mr. William R. Dewey of Roxbury. The ceremony occurred at 7 o'clock, in the presence only of relatives and near friends.

The interior of the mansion was elaborately decorated with flowers and tropical plants. The couple stood, during the ceremony in the parlor, under a floral wedding bell and in front of a solid screen of tropical plants. An orchestra was stationed in the alcove under the grand staircase, partially hidden by a screen of palms.

Rev. Dr. Walcott Calkins, pastor of the Eliot Congregational church, officiated. The groom was attended by his best man, Mr. Henry P. Binney of Roxbury. The maid of honor was the bride's sister, Miss Braman.

Lard as a Life-Saver

The school boy's composition asserted that pigs had saved the lives of many people by their not having swallowed them; so lard has saved the lives of thousands by their having avoided food of which it forms a part. Hog's lard is responsible for much indigestion and dyspepsia, as any physician will testify, hence

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Notice is hereby given of a hearing before the Board of Mayor and Aldermen, at City Hall, Monday evening, March 7, 1892, at eight o'clock upon the petition of the New England Tel. & Tel. Co. of Mass., for locations on the following streets, viz:—Winthrop Street, between Shaw and Putnam Streets; Putnam Street, between Winthrop and Temple Streets; Temple Street, between Putnam and Prince Streets; Prince Street, between Temple Street and a point south of Berkeley Street; Peabody Street, between Washington and Pearl Streets; Chapel Street, between Watertown and California Streets; California Street, between Chapel and Bridge Streets; Bridge Street, near California Street.
By order of the Board of Mayor and Aldermen
ISAAC F. KINGSBURY, City Clerk.
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HER FRIEND.

"Twas in the Boston fast express a little maiden sat,
She occupied the seat alone, beside her lay her hat.
She clutched her dolly to her breast in childish play,
As if she feared some dreadful giant would snatch it right away.
"Are you alone, my little girl?" I asked as I stooped down.
"My mamma told me Dad was here!" she said with half a frown.
"She tised me an my dolly, and I dess I don't know you."
"But, dear," I answered, smiling, "tell me where you're going to."
"He twisted in her seat, and then she tossed her tangled hair,
"I'm doin on to Boston, an my pop'll meet me there."
"But, dear," I questioned gently, "if the choo choo cars should stop,
"And you should walk, and walk, and walk, and then not find your pop."
"What would you do?" The little maiden shook her head and frowned.
"My mamma says when pop is gone, that Dad is somewhere round."
The train rolled into Boston town. I waited there awhile
And watched my little blue eyes, with her half expectant smile.
"Dess waitin for my pop," she said, "with dolly fast asleep."
And then a man came rushing in, I knew him by his leap,
He snatched his little daughter up with frantic, feverish glee;
And then, with father's instinct, quick his eye was turned on me.
"Well, Bess," he asked, "who is your friend?"
With quaint, expressive nod, the little maiden said:
"The maid replied: 'I dess I know I flink it mus' be Dad.'"
—Tom Masson in Brooklyn Life.

America's Paper Making Capacity.

The United States has a capacity for producing about 15,250,000 pounds of paper annually, not counting the idle mills, of which at present about seventy are reported, out of a total of 1,180. Of this enormous product some 3,735,000 pounds are used in printing newspapers and books, and 212,000 pounds more go to help bind the books printed. It is estimated that 498,000 pounds are consumed by the building trades; 3,176,000 pounds of wrapping paper are used and 590,000 pounds of writing papers. An important item is the production of nearly 1,600,000 pounds of press, straw and wood pulp. "boards." The production of "artificial leather," fortunately for the purchasers of shoes, has been decreasing since 1881, when 129,000 pounds of this material were produced. The most rigid economy is practiced in paper making; hence the high degree of mechanical skill and executive ability connected with this industry as compared with the cost of the product.—New York Telegram.

Change of Fifty Years.

The tardy justice done to women in the passing of the women's property act in England and America was the direct outgrowth of the wages system. The fact that woman had no right in her earnings, inherited property, or even in her personal belongings, until recent years, took away all stimulus to active money making effort. Driven to it by the failure of husband or father to provide for her wants, she could not hold any possession from the grasp of the selfish, cruel, tyrannical or degraded male relative who possessed legal power over her. The change in these selfish conditions has all occurred within the past fifty years, and it is marvelous.—Jenny June's "Thrown on Her Own Resources."

Catcher Flint's Wonderful Hands.

Charles Seymour, the newspaper man, used to tell a story about Catcher Flint. When the Chicago Ball club called on the president in Washington each member of course shook hands with the executive. When the president's hand was released by "Old Silver" the president was seen to quickly thrust it into the pocket of his coat. Then he felt about in his pocket a bit, took his hand out and looked at it with some surprise, remarking: "Oh, I beg pardon; I thought you had given me a handful of walnuts."—Chicago Post.

Three Small Trees.

Keampfer is quoted as describing a trio of trees he saw in a box 1½ inches broad, 4 inches long and 3 inches deep, for which the owner asked the traveler the modest sum of \$500. The three trees of the box were a bamboo, a monthly blooming pine tree and a live leafed pine, all perfectly formed and seemingly enjoying their dwarfed existence.—St. Louis Republic.

Taking Her Down.

Little Dot—Ma, may I take the baby out in my doll's carriage?
Mamma—Why, what for?
Little Dot—Susie Stuckup has a new doll 'at shuts its eyes an cries 'Wah, wah!' I'm 'oin to betend the baby 'A doll and let her hear him yell. Then I dess she'll stop puttin on airs.—Good News.

Horse Sense.

As regards color, gray horses live longest, roan horses nearly as long. Cream colored horses are deficient of staying power, especially in summer weather. Bays, on an average, are the best. Horses with black hoofs are stronger and tougher than others.—Rider and Driver.

Wanted the Needles.

A man customer in a Boston store would not purchase an electric belt because it did not have all those needles sticking out in every direction from it, such as pictured in the papers.—Pharmaceutical Era.

The earliest coinage that can be called American was ordered by the Virginia company, and was minted in the Bermudas in 1612. But then, and for long afterward, the standard currency of Virginia was tobacco.

Conch shells, when ground, enter into the manufacture of porcelain. The rose colored pearls of the pink conch are very valuable, and have a beautiful wavy sheen like that of watered silk.

An English clergyman whose advertisement has more than once appeared in a London paper nets a nice sum annually by the sale of a special breed of puppies.

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"There are but two statesmen in the world," says an old Californian, who admires the Plumed Knight, "and they are Gladstone and Blaine. I heard Blaine make his first speech over 58 years ago! Long time, isn't it? So it seems to me, but it was nearly 50 years ago, 'way back yonder in a little old log school house when we were both backward, barefooted boys, that we were elected to speak our pieces one Friday afternoon. Scared? We were scared to death, and 'Jimmy' Blaine shook worse than I did. I can see him as though 'twere yesterday; there he stood, barefooted, patched trousers and a linsey woolsey 'wammus' buttoned tight around him; he dug the toes of his right boot into the ankle of his left, working and swinging his heel in a kind of semicircle, while his hands twitched and hung like pounds of lead at his side. This is the way he bowed (here the story teller arose and bent himself as the big blade of a jackknife shunts), 'and this is what he said as he gazed steadfastly at the ceiling:
" 'R-i-m, rim; p-i-n, pin;
" L-i-p, lip; f-i-x, fix;
" B-i-t, bit; s-i-t, sit;
" J-o-b, job; s-o-d, sod; G-o-d, God."
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Newtownville 6.34, 7.09, 7.39, A. M., and every half-hour until 12.30, 12.54, 1.00, 1.30 and every 15 minutes until 10.00, then 10.30, 11.00 p.m. For West Newton only 10.24, 10.54, 11.24, 11.50, p.m., 12.09 p.m.

West Newton 6.43, 7.18, 7.48, A. M., and every half-hour until 12.48, 1.03, 1.18, 1.33, and every 15 min. until 10.18, then 10.48, 11.20 p.m. WALTHAM TO NEWTON.

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West Newton 6.19, 6.42, 7.12, 7.42, A. M., and every half-hour until 1.12, 1.27, 1.42, 1.57, and every 15 minute until 11.12, then 11.42 p.m. Newtownville 6.17, 6.50, 7.20, A. M., and every half-hour until 1.20, 1.35, 1.50 and every 15 minutes until 11.20, 11.50 p.m.

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NEWTON CENTRE.

—Don't fail to attend the Veteran Firemen's Concert.
—Mr. S. D. Hodge of Irving street is removing to Newton.
—Mr. John Linnell, head clerk at I. R. Stevens, is ill with a sore throat.
—Mr. Ellis is prepared for warm weather with eight thousand tons of ice in store.
—Miss Marion Wright of Philadelphia is visiting Mr. Earnest Wright of Rice street.
—All the business places were closed Monday with the single exception of Harris' barber shop.
—Jeremiah Hooley dislocated his shoulder on Hammond's pond a few days since. Dr. Bodge attended him.

—Mr. S. P. Sanborn and Miss E. S. Sanborn left Tuesday on a Raymond excursion for Mexico, via New Orleans.
—The engagement is announced of Miss Lillian Marie Furbur to Dr. J. Edward McClelland of Cleveland, Ohio.

—About fifty friends of Henry McMahon, Bowen street, surprised him Tuesday evening and made some useful gifts.

—Mr. Jas. A. McLellan has contracted to build another house on Ashton Park, off Homer street to commence at once.

—Mr. Herman Esty entertained a whist party Friday evening. Miss Maud Crane captured first prize and Miss Maynard the booby.

—Mr. A. D. S. Bell and family of Hammond street expect to remove to Cambridge about April 1, where they will reside on North Avenue.

—Mrs. G. W. Baker and family of the Huntington, Boston, have taken a house in Newton Centre, which they will occupy early in March.

—Mr. Henry W. Middleton of the Newton Baptist Theological Seminary preached at the Bunker Hill Baptist church, Charlestown, last Sunday morning.

—Mr. D. H. McWain returned this week from his two weeks trip to Bermuda in good health and with improved appetite. The return voyage was quite rough.

—Mr. C. W. Tate has purchased a four horse barge, the "Newton Centre Queen," seating 20 persons, and has made regular trips to the G. A. R. fair this week from the post office.

—Tangerines, English Chestnuts, Imperial Jelly, Cream Cheese, Butter, Lobsters, Clams, Oysters, Fresh Herring, Boiled Cider, Extract of Beef, Belmont Sausages at Richardson's market.

—Dr. Sylvester arrived home on Monday, from Europe, and is resuming his practice with renewed vigor. He will be next Tuesday afternoon and evening.

—Ulysses Sherman, son of Mr. A. A. Sherman formerly in business here, has purchased and took possession Wednesday of a provision store, corner of Washington and Beacon streets, Somerville.

—Mrs. Theodore Nickerson of Institution avenue is chairman of the committee selected by the ladies of the Newton Club to have charge of the furnishing of the ladies' apartments of the new clubhouse.

—Prof. J. B. Thomas of the Institution will deliver a lecture on "The Baptists and the Bible," on Thursday, March 3, at 7.45 p. m. in the chapel of the Baptist meeting house, under the auspices of the Baptist Young People's Union.

—The venerable Dr. S. F. Smith, author of "America," visited the William H. Lincoln school, Brookline, on Friday, and addressed the pupils, concluding his interesting talk by repeating his poem and joining with the children in singing it.

—News came Wednesday by telegram that Mr. Moses G. Crane's daughter, Gertrude, who married Mr. Sage of Cleveland, Ohio, is dead. Her mother was with her, having been sent for some weeks ago. The sad news was a great shock to her friends here.

—A series of five half-hour talks on hymn writers and their hymns will be commenced next Sunday evening in the Methodist church by the pastor. First subject: "Chas Wesley and his hymns." Services will commence at 7 o'clock. Seats free. A cordial welcome.

—There are letters in the post office for: Mr. Baker, Rev. F. S. Burgess, Mrs. A. A. Coles, Archie Ferguson, Maggie McCracken, John Marti, Thomas O'Connor, H. J. Powell, C. S. Sander, Jr., J. Taylor, Fred Undergraves, Mr. Wilson, (printer) Mrs. M. C. Winsor.

—The funeral of Daniel Clifford took place Sunday from the Church of the Sacred Heart, Rev. D. J. Wholey celebrating mass. It was a very large gathering and the attendance was very large. The interment was at Holyhood, Brookline.

—The second annual tournament of the Magnolia Spring Tennis Club, will be given on their grounds connected with the hotel on March 15, and will be a very interesting week. It will be participated in by many notable players. Among those expected are F. A. Hovey, V. G. Hall, A. E. Wright, R. V. Beach, and others. Many crack football players will also take part.

—The Oak Hill Grangers gave their first party at the Oak Hill, Feb. 24, and the expectations of the managers, Mr. Dickens and Mr. Stone, was fully realized, and about twenty-five couples were present. Music was furnished by Kelli's orchestra of Boston, and dancing was enjoyed for several hours, after which a dainty collation was served from the Oak Grove Farm Cafe of Boston.

—At Chestnut Hill, the second and last reception, which was really the housewarming of the beautiful new house, was given by Mr. and Mrs. Edward E. Blodgett on Thursday evening. It was very largely attended. Miss Anna Hastings and Miss Pagani presided over the tea and chocolate. Miss Cora Fuller, in blue silk and white lace looked like one of her sister's fairies, of whom she wrote "In Poppy Land."

—A little son of Mrs. H. F. Sale of Station street was quite seriously injured at the Station street crossing on Tuesday. Mrs. Sale was going to the depot, accompanied by the boy to take the 12.40 train and reached the crossing after the gates were down. As the train rushed past the boy, who carried an open umbrella, hurried ahead and ran into the train before it had got by. He was thrown to the ground considerably bruised and the car wheels passed over his long curls. It was a remarkable escape from death. It is understood the little fellow is getting along very comfortably.

—Mr. Henry S. Washburn attended the reunion of the Representatives of 1872 at the United States Hotel, last Saturday. In his remarks he said it gave him great pleasure to look into the faces of the representatives of the Legislature of 1872. He referred to Forger Winslow, but would not allow the name to rest upon his lips. The last time he saw him was in Washington, with traveling bag in hand, fleeing from justice. The state was getting altogether too much legislation at the present time; too much attention was paid to the men and women who came to the State House not knowing what they wanted. The speaker had great confidence in the young men of the time and instanced Mayor Matthews and Gov. Russell as illus-

trations. "We are secure in the honor of the man we have elected our chief magistrate," said he. He closed by reciting an original poem entitled "The Grand Time Coming."

THE MASQUERADE.

THE CENTRE CLUB ENTERTAIN NOTABLE SOCIETY PEOPLE.

The fancy masquerade party given by the Centre Club, last evening, in Associates hall proved a success far beyond the expectations of the most notable events of the season in Newton society circles, and the richness and charming variety of the many elegant costumes, and the social prominence of those attending declared it an affair which could hardly have been more delightful.

The excellence of the disguises were such that the personnel of but very few were detected previous to the removal of the masques. A number of dances were enjoyed in masque until shortly after nine o'clock, when the unmasking took place, the favors were distributed and the remainder of the evening devoted to the enjoyment of its numbers.

The patronesses were Mrs. J. H. Sanborn, Mrs. J. W. Parker, Mrs. E. H. Fennessy, Mrs. D. B. Clafin, and the managers were Mr. S. A. Shannon, Mr. D. B. Harding, Mr. F. A. Mason, Mr. H. G. Ruhe, Mr. E. P. May, Mr. R. S. Loring. The music was by the Germania orchestra and between nine and 11.30 o'clock refreshments were served.

Among those present were the following: Miss Marion Nickerson, Spanish lady; Mr. Clarence Waldo, Monk; Mr. R. S. Loring, Courtier Charles II; Miss May Rogers, a Rose; Miss Gardiner, a Sicily; Mrs. Todd, Violet; Mr. F. A. Mason, Lieutenant in the navy; Mr. E. B. Browne, King; Mr. Cutler, Mephistopheles; Misses Edith and Carrie Rogers, Topsy and Tipsey; Mr. Webster, Signor del Costello; Mr. Howard Rogers, La Marquise de Paris; Mr. Bond, Cow Boy; Mr. Frank Fennessy, Oxford Student; Miss Smith, Countess in time of Josephine; Mr. F. E. Lecompte, Roman Noble; Mr. Walter Lecompte, Faust; Miss Mason, Snow; Mr. Charles Rogers, La Marquise de Paris; Mrs. Lecompte, Night; Miss Mary Fennessy, Grecian lady; Miss Mariani, Quaker; Mr. Warren, Oxford student; Miss Edith Fennessy, Spring; Mr. Harry Day, Monk; Mr. Walter Clafin, Doctor. Other pretty and unique costumes were worn by Miss Blanchard, Mr. William May, Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Harding, Miss Davis, Miss Bond, Miss Hazleton, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Cutler, Miss Lecompte, Misses Bassett, Miss Chisholm, Miss Stone, Mr. and Mrs. Wheelock, Mr. Copeland, Mr. and Mrs. D. T. Kidder, Miss Sylvester, Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Lotherbee, Mr. Egerton.

NEWTON UPPER FALLS.

—Business was generally suspended Monday, Feb. 22d.

—Timothy Denning of Pettee's has been ill with a severe cold.

—The Veteran Firemen's Concert will be the best given in the city this winter.

—A new street door is to replace the present well worn article at the post office.

—John McLaughlin's double house on Hale street is being pushed rapidly forward.

—The Independents danced in Prospect Hall last Saturday evening, quite a number being present.

—Mail carrier Edies has been complimented for the promptness and satisfaction afforded by his work.

—Superintendent M. H. Coffin of the Baptist Sunday school is arranging for a very interesting Easter concert.

—The Grattan Bakery of Natick will take possession of the newly fitted store in Procter's block on Elliot street, next Monday.

—John Singleton and Thomas Howell have severed their connection with the Baptist Machine Works and contemplate leaving town.

—The United States Fireworks Company donated the pyrotechnic display at the Grand Army fair at Newton on Monday the opening night.

—The Newton Rubber Company and the United States Fireworks Company were compelled to run as usual all day Monday to keep pace with their orders.

—William Jackson, employed at the Pettee Machine Works, injured the palm of his hand recently with a file, and is now laid up with a badly swollen arm resulting from the wound.

—Mr. A. E. Hodgson, formerly of Upper Falls, has gone to San Francisco, where he has charge of the repairs on the Union Pacific Railroad. His family expect to join him in the spring.

—The Quinquepin bowling alleys were greatly in demand Monday, and so great a number were desirous of hitting the pins that they went to Boston to bowl on Clarke's and other alleys.

—Snow ball throwing by boys on the street has become very common of late notwithstanding the reproofs of the police officers, and some of them will learn a lesson very soon which they will do well to profit by.

—Union services have been held all this week at the St. Mary's Catholic church. Large numbers have attended and the services have been unusually interesting. They are conducted by the Dominican Fathers McKenna and Splinter.

—A grand stereoscopic lecture on England, Scotland and Ireland, was held under the auspices of Perseverance Lodge, I. O. G. T. in Prospect Hall, last evening. Some of the principal views were leaving New York in the City of Paris, landing at Queenstown, visit to Blarney Castle, dissolving views of Lakes of Killarney by daylight and moonlight. In Scotland was shown Burns' birthplace, Glasgow, Forth Bridge, Melrose Abbey, Linlithgow Palace, Inverness and Tay Bridge, and England, Westminster Abbey, Times at London Bridge, Hastings Castle, Dartmouth, Manchester Cathedral and many others. The views were interspersed with singing by a quartet.

—The remodeling of the old engine house on High street, the property of Mr. H. F. Sullivan, is nearing completion under the superintendence of Mr. Daniel Hurley. The building has been transformed into a store and single tenement. The store on the street floor is well built with a front and large show windows, and above is a small tenement conveniently arranged with an entrance from a side piazza on the street floor. It is understood a rear entrance has been gained by the purchase of additional land affording greater convenience for the store occupant. Many conjectures are made as to who will occupy the store. It is rumored that an apothecary will open there, also that it has been leased by a co-operative company for provisions, but those who know keep their own counsel.

NEWTON HIGHLANDS.

C. Farley, Turner, 433 Washington Street.
—The Veteran Firemen's Concert will be the best given in the city this winter.

—The Chautauque Circle will meet next Monday at 2 o'clock at Mrs. Bryant's.

—The Monday Club will hold its next meeting with Miss Sweetser, Lincoln street.

—The Shakespeare Club will meet Saturday afternoon with Mrs. H. E. Durgin on Hyde street.

—Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Denison have had a very enjoyable trip to Washington, also making a visit to Mr. Vernon.

—Mr. Fred Moore of New York, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Moore of Cook street, has been here for a short visit.

—The annual contribution in aid of the A. B. C. F. M. will be called for next Sunday at the Congregational church.

—Mr. J. S. Rowe has moved from Wellesley, and taken the house formerly occupied by Mr. Highland on Terrace avenue.

—Rev. Mr. Allen will conduct the Unitarian services next Sunday at 6 o'clock, subject, the "Secret of Christianity."

—Mrs. O. J. Kimball, who has been a long time ill, has in company with Mr. Kimball gone to Providence for a stay of a week.

—Rev. F. E. Todd of West Roxbury will preach at the M. E. services next Sunday morning. The pastor will preach as usual in the evening.

—Following is the list of letters remaining in the postoffice: Mrs. Clara G. Butman, Henry B. Pierce, Charles Swanborn, A. F. Winslow.

—Miss Emma G. Stevens has graduated from the Normal school at Bridgewater and accepted a position as a teacher in the grammar school at Everett.

—A tablet has been placed on the bulletin board in the postoffice announcing the topics, and time of the meetings, held at the Congregational church during the week.

—Mr. Edward L. Clark of New Haven, who is pursuing his studies at Phillips Academy, is visiting his brother, Mr. C. Peter Clark, and also his uncle, Mr. Alexander Tyler.

—A Longfellow Sociable will be held by the Ladies' Society of the M. E. church, at the residence of Mrs. E. J. Hyde next Wednesday evening. All are invited to aid the society are invited to attend.

—The festival and fair held by St. Paul's Society on Monday and Tuesday at Lincoln Hall was a great success financially and socially. Upwards of six hundred dollars was realized as the result of their united efforts.

—The Omega Quartet, who rendered musical selections at the meeting of the Newton Congregational Club in such a satisfactory manner, received a very complimentary invitation from the Boston Congregational Club to perform a like service at their meeting.

—Mrs. M. G. Crane has been at Cleveland, O., for two past weeks on account of the illness of her daughter, Mrs. Sage. On Wednesday, Mr. Crane received a despatch announcing the sad news of the death of their daughter. Her marriage took place at her home in this village in June last. Her early death will be keenly felt by a large circle of friends and acquaintances by whom she was held in high esteem, and the family will receive the sympathy of the community in their bereavement.

—The first peace dance of Waban Tribe, No. 101, took place in Lincoln Hall on Wednesday evening, and was one of the most enjoyable affairs of the season, all the Newtons and adjoining towns being present. The grand march was formed at nine o'clock led by Chas. H. Litchman, P. G. S., and Mrs. Fred Doble and was participated in by about one hundred couples. The dancing was served by Caterer Dill, of Waltham. The first peace dance of this tribe may be considered a success in every way, and much credit is due the committee. Among those present were noticed:

Miss Daisy Crowell, Judge J. C. Keundy,
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To the Honorable, the Justice of the Peace Court of Newton, within the county of Middlesex:

The petition of Charles A. Jordan of Newton in the county of Middlesex and Commonwealth of Massachusetts, respectfully represents that he contracted with Rufus Somers of Boston, having authority from, and rightfully acting for George A. Baker the owner of the panorama hereinafter mentioned, then of Boston, but now of Cazenovia, in the state of New York, for the storage of a panorama, called "Battles of the Rebellion" on the 18th day of March 1886, and for the cartage of the same for the agreed price of one dollar per month, and for the cartage of the said panorama to the place of storage for the sum of one and 25-100 dollars; that in accordance with said contract and with the full knowledge and consent of the said George A. Baker, your petitioner has carefully stored and kept said panorama since that time, until the date of this his petition, and carried the same to the place of storage, and there is due him therefor in accordance with the said contract the sum of \$71, for said storage and \$125 for said cartage; that on the 17th day of April 1891, your petitioner by his attorney, made a demand on the said George A. Baker in writing for the pay well of the sum due him for said storage and cartage at the date of said demand, and that six then sixty days have elapsed, and no payment has been made by the said Baker, or any one in his behalf on account of said storage and cartage. Your petitioner claims a lien for said care and storage of said panorama, now in his possession, and carting of the same as aforesaid, and prays that an order may be issued for the sale of said panorama in satisfaction for the said debt in accordance with the provisions of the statutes in such cases made and provided.

CHAS. A. JORDAN.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

SUFFOLK, SS.

Feb. 25 1892.

Then personally appeared the above named Charles A. Jordan and made oath to the facts set forth in the foregoing petition.

Before me,

GEORGE W. STETSON,
Justice of the Peace.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, SS.

At the Police Court of Newton holden at Newton within the county of Middlesex, for civil business on the twenty fifth day of February A. D. 1892: On the foregoing petition it is ordered that the petitioner give notice to the said George A. Baker, to appear before said Court on the nineteenth day of March A. D. 1892, at nine of the clock in the forenoon, by causing to be published at least once a week for three successive weeks in the Newton Graphic, a newspaper published in said Newton, before the said nineteenth day of March, a true and attested copy of said petition, and of the order of the Court thereon, that the said George A. Baker, may then and there appear and show cause, why the prayer of the said petitioner should not be granted.

By the Court.

HENRY L. WHITTLESEY,
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A true copy of the petition, and the order thereon.

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